



CAO Legislative Bill Report

Administration

[AB 345](#)

[Ridley-Thomas](#) D (Dist. 54)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Municipal code violations. Would authorize, until January 1, 2023, the legislative body of a city or county to also collect fines related to the nuisance abatement using a nuisance abatement lien or a special assessment.

[AB 428](#)

[Ridley-Thomas](#) D (Dist. 54)

Location: ASSEMBLY CONSENT CALENDAR

Local government: the Ralph M. Brown Act. Current law, until January 1, 2018, authorizes a health authority that conducts a teleconference meeting to count members who are outside the jurisdiction of the authority toward the establishment of a quorum when participating in the teleconference if at least 50% of the number of members that would establish a quorum are present within the boundaries of the territory over which the authority exercises jurisdiction, and the health authority provides a teleconference number, and associated access codes, if any, that allows any person to call in to participate in the meeting, as specified. This bill would extend the operation of these provisions relating to the establishment of a quorum for teleconferenced meetings of a health authority indefinitely.

[AB 556](#)

[Limón](#) D (Dist. 37)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

County ordinances: violations: fines. Under current law, violation of a county ordinance is generally a misdemeanor, unless by ordinance it is made an infraction. Existing law establishes fines for violations of an ordinance determined to be an infraction and limits the amount of fine to \$100 for a first violation, \$200 for a 2nd violation within one year, and \$500 for each additional violation within one year or, in the case of violations of a local building and safety code, a fine not exceeding \$100 for a first violation, \$500 for a 2nd violation within one year, and \$1,000 for each additional violation within one year. This bill would increase the maximum amount of fine for violations of event permit requirements, as defined, to \$150 for a first violation, \$700 for a 2nd occurrence of the same violation by the same owner or operator within 3 years, and \$2,500 for each additional occurrence of the same violation by the same owner or operator within 3 years.

[AB 1250](#)

[Jones-Sawyer](#) D (Dist. 59)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Counties: contracts for personal services. Would establish specific standards for the use of personal services contracts by counties. Beginning January 1, 2018, the bill would allow a county or county agency to contract for personal services currently or customarily performed by employees, as applicable, when specified conditions are met. Among other things, the bill would require the county to clearly demonstrate that the proposed contract will result in actual overall costs savings to the county and also to show that the contract does not cause the displacement of county workers. The bill would require a contract entered into under these provisions to specify that it may be terminated upon material breach, if notice is provided, as specified.

Position: San Bernardino County Oppose

[SB 231](#)

[Hertzberg](#) D (Dist. 18)

Location: ASSEMBLY THIRD READING

Local government: fees and charges. Articles XIIIC and XIIID of the California Constitution generally require that assessments, fees, and charges be submitted to property owners for approval or rejection after the provision of written notice and the holding of a public hearing. Current law, the Proposition 218 Omnibus Implementation Act, prescribes specific procedures and parameters for local jurisdictions to comply with Articles XIIIC and XIIID of the California Constitution and defines terms for these purposes. This bill would define the term "sewer" for these purposes. The bill would also make findings and declarations relating to the definition of the term "sewer" for these purposes.



[SB 292](#)

[Bates](#) R (Dist. 36)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Counties: contract legal counsel: auditor-controller. Current law requires a county board of supervisors, upon request of the county assessor or sheriff, to contract with legal counsel to assist the assessor or sheriff with duties for which the district attorney or county counsel would have a conflict of interest in representing the assessor or sheriff. In the event the board of supervisors does not concur with the assessor or sheriff that a conflict of interests exists, current law authorizes the county assessor or sheriff to initiate an ex parte proceeding before the presiding judge of the superior court, as provided. This bill would extend these provisions to additionally require the board of supervisors to contract with legal counsel to assist the auditor-controller, as described above.

[SB 653](#)

[Moorlach](#) R (Dist. 37)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

County tax collectors: notices: publication. Current law requires a county tax collector to publish various notices in a newspaper, including a notice specifying, among other things, the dates when property taxes on the secured roll will be due and the penalties and costs for delinquency. This bill would require the tax collector to also provide notice on the tax collector's regularly maintained Internet Web site of any notice required to be published in a newspaper of general circulation under the Revenue and Taxation Code, as provided.

[SB 671](#)

[Moorlach](#) R (Dist. 37)

Location: SENATE ENROLLED

County employees' retirement: retirement funds: transfers. The CERL authorizes the board of supervisors to authorize the county auditor to make an advance payment of all or part of the county's estimated annual contribution if the payment is made within 30 days after the county's fiscal year begins. Current law also authorizes a district that is a member of the retirement system in the County of San Bernardino to make advance payments, as described above. This bill would specify that the authority to make advance payments, described above, does not prevent the board of supervisors or governing body of a district from making advance payments for the estimated annual county or district contributions for an additional year or partial year if certain requirements are satisfied.

Air Quality

[AB 193](#)

[Cervantes](#) D (Dist. 60)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Air Quality Improvement Program: Clean Reused Vehicle Rebate Project. Would require the State Air Resources Board to establish the Clean Reused Vehicle Rebate Project, as a part of the Air Quality Improvement Program, to provide rebates for the acquisition of an eligible used vehicle, as defined; the replacement or refurbishment of an electric vehicle battery and related components for an eligible used vehicle or a vehicle service contract, as defined, for the battery or related components; or a vehicle service contract to cover unexpected vehicle repairs not covered by the manufacturer's warranty related to unique problems in eligible used vehicles, as specified.

[AB 378](#)

[Garcia, Cristina](#) D (Dist. 58)

Location: ASSEMBLY RECONSIDERATION

Greenhouse gases, criteria air pollutants, and toxic air contaminants. The California Global Warming Solutions Act requires the State Air Resources Board, when adopting rules and regulations to achieve greenhouse gas emissions reductions beyond the statewide greenhouse gas emissions limit and to protect the state's most impacted and disadvantaged communities, to follow specified requirements, consider the social costs of the emissions of greenhouse gases, and prioritize specified emission reduction rules and regulations. This bill would require the state board to consider and account for the social costs of the emissions of greenhouse gases when adopting those rules and regulations.

[AB 388](#)

[Mullin](#) D (Dist. 22)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund: wetland restoration projects. This bill would authorize the use of the moneys in the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund for wetland restoration projects that may make use of dredged material if the investment furthers the regulatory purposes of the act and is consistent with law.



[AB 891](#)

[Garcia, Eduardo](#) D (Dist. 56)

Location: SENATE E.Q.

California Communities Environmental Health Screening. Would require the State Air Resources Board, in partnership with the Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment, to include one year of data from certain local air monitoring studies, including data on particulate matter with a diameter of 2.5 micrometers or less, ozone, and diesel particulate matter. The bill would require funds to be allocated, upon appropriation by the Legislature, to the board and the office to support the continued collection of this data.

Animal Control

[AB 292](#)

[Steinorth](#) R (Dist. 40)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Personal income tax: deductions: qualified pet adoption costs. The Personal Income Tax Law, in modified conformity with federal income tax laws, allows various deductions in computing the income that is subject to the taxes imposed by that law, including miscellaneous itemized deductions that are allowed only to the extent that the aggregate amount of those deductions exceed 2% of adjusted gross income. This bill, for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2018, and before January 1, 2023, would allow a deduction, not to exceed \$100, under that law for the qualified costs paid or incurred by a taxpayer for the adoption of a qualified pet, as defined, from a qualified animal rescue organization.

Position: San Bernardino County Support

Behavioral Health

[AB 254](#)

[Thurmond](#) D (Dist. 15)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Local Educational Agency Behavioral Health Integration Pilot Program. Would require the State Department of Health Care Services to establish the Local Educational Agency Behavioral Health Integration Pilot Program for the purpose of improving the behavioral health outcomes of students by improving the delivery of direct behavioral health services, as defined. The bill would require the department to encourage eligible participants to participate in the program, to provide technical assistance to eligible participants, to develop a request for a proposals process to determine funding allocation, and to formulate any necessary Medi-Cal State Plan amendments, and award grants pursuant to these provisions.

[AB 1315](#)

[Mullin](#) D (Dist. 22)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Mental health: early psychosis and mood disorder detection and intervention. Would establish an advisory committee to the Mental Health Services Oversight and Accountability Commission for purposes of creating an early psychosis and mood disorder detection and intervention competitive selection process to, among other things, expand the provision of high-quality, evidence-based early psychosis and mood disorder detection and intervention services in this state by providing funding to the counties for this purpose. The bill would require a county that receives an award of funds to contribute local funds, as specified.

[AB 1473](#)

[Quirk-Silva](#) D (Dist. 65)

Location: ASSEMBLY HEALTH

Mental health: pilot crisis stabilization program. The Investment in Mental Health Wellness Act of 2013, provides that funds appropriated by the Legislature to the California Health Facilities Financing Authority for purposes of the act be made available to selected counties or counties acting jointly, except as otherwise provided, and used to increase capacity for client assistance and services in specified areas, including crisis intervention and crisis stabilization. This bill would require the State Department of Health Care Services to create a pilot crisis stabilization program in the County of Orange to provide mental health and safety support for older adults, and would appropriate an unspecified sum from the General Fund to the department for the purposes of implementing these provisions.

[SB 8](#)

[Beall](#) D (Dist. 15)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Diversion: mental disorders. Would authorize a court, with the consent of the defendant and a waiver of the defendant's speedy trial right, to postpone prosecution of a misdemeanor or a felony punishable in a



county jail, and place the defendant in a pretrial diversion program for up to 2 years if the court is satisfied the defendant suffers from a mental disorder, that the defendant's mental disorder played a significant role in the commission of the charged offense, and that the defendant would benefit from mental health treatment.

[SB 142](#)

[Beall](#) D (Dist. 15)

Location: ASSEMBLY PUB. S.

Criminal offenders: mental health. Current law requires, if a person is convicted of a felony and is eligible for probation, before judgment is pronounced, the court to immediately refer the matter to a probation officer to investigate and report to the court upon the circumstances surrounding the crime and the prior history and record of the person. This bill would authorize a defendant to provide documentation to the court that he or she is currently, or was at any prior time, eligible for public mental health services due to a serious mental illness or eligible for Social Security Disability Insurance due to a diagnosed mental illness.

[SB 177](#)

[Nguyen](#) R (Dist. 34)

Location: SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Cognitively impaired adults: caregiver resource centers. This bill would, each fiscal year, commencing with the 2017-18 fiscal year, appropriate \$3,300,000 from the General Fund to the State Department of Health Care Services for allocation to CRCs for the purpose of providing those respite care services, and would require this funding to be used by the department to supplement, and not supplant, the level of funding that was allocated in the 2016-17 fiscal year for CRCs. The bill would also authorize those services to be provided in person and, except for respite care services, through the use of remote technologies.

[SB 192](#)

[Beall](#) D (Dist. 15)

Location: ASSEMBLY HEALTH

Mental Health Services Act Reversion Fund. Would amend the Mental Health Services Act by instead requiring that any funds allocated since the 2008–09 fiscal year, except as specified, to a large, medium, small, or very small county, as defined, that have not been spent for their authorized purpose within 3 years of being allocated, and any interest earned on unspent funds, revert to the state for deposit into the newly established Mental Health Services Act Reversion Fund. The bill would authorize a very small county to apply for a waiver, subject to approval by the commission, requesting a delay of the reversion of funds, but not for more than 5 fiscal years from the time of allocation of funds.

Cannabis

[AB 6](#)

[Obernolte](#) R (Dist. 33)

Location: SENATE RLS.

The Financial Information System for California (FISCAL) Act: transparency component. Current law, the Financial Information System for California (FISCAL) Act, establishes a single integrated financial management system for the state. The act requires the system to include a state transparency component that allows the public to have information regarding General Fund and federal fund expenditure data, using an Internet Web site. This bill would enact the Budget Transparency Act of 2017. The bill would modify the transparency component of the system described above to require it to have information regarding all state expenditures, including the amount, the type, and a description of each state expenditure

[AB 64](#)

[Bonta](#) D (Dist. 18)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Cannabis: licensure and regulation. Both MCRSA and AUMA generally divide responsibility for state licensure and regulation between the Bureau of Marijuana Control (bureau) within the Department of Consumer Affairs, which serves as the lead state agency, the Department of Food and Agriculture, and the State Department of Public Health. AUMA requires the licensing authorities to begin issuing licenses to engage in commercial adult-use cannabis activity by January 1, 2018. This bill, if SB 94 is enacted, would repeal that separate and distinct premises requirement. The bill would also prohibit a testing licensee under MAUCRSA from owning, or having an ownership interest in, a premises licensed under MAUCRSA for any activity except testing.



[AB 76](#)

[Chau](#) D (Dist. 49)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Adult-use marijuana: marketing. Under current law, the Control, Regulate and Tax Adult Use of Marijuana Act (AUMA), approved by the voters at the November 8, 2016, statewide general election, regulates the cultivation, distribution, transport, storage, manufacturing, testing, processing, sale, and use of marijuana for nonmedical purposes by people 21 years of age and older. This bill would prohibit an operator, as defined, of an Internet Web site, online service, online application, or mobile application from marketing or advertising any marijuana, marijuana product, or marijuana business to a person who is under 21 years of age if the operator has actual knowledge that a person under 21 years of age is using its Internet Web site, online service, online application, or mobile application, and if the marketing or advertising is specifically directed to that person based upon information specific to that person, including, but not limited to, the person's profile, activity, address, or location.

[AB 110](#)

[Ting](#) D (Dist. 19)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Cannabis: medicinal and adult use. The Medical Marijuana Program also provides immunity from arrest to those exempt patients or designated primary caregivers who engage in certain acts involving marijuana, up to certain limits, and who have identification cards issued pursuant to the program unless there is reasonable cause to believe that the information contained in the card is false or fraudulent, the card has been obtained by means of fraud, or the person is otherwise in violation of the law. Under existing law, a person who steals, fraudulently uses, or commits other prohibited acts with respect to those identification cards is subject to criminal penalties. This bill would require probable cause to believe that the information on the card is false or fraudulent, the card was obtained by fraud, or the person is otherwise in violation of the law to overcome immunity from arrest to patients and primary caregivers in possession of an identification card.

[AB 175](#)

[Chau](#) D (Dist. 49)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Adult-use marijuana: marketing: packaging and labeling. Would require a manufacturer, prior to introducing an edible marijuana product into commerce in California, to submit the packaging and labeling to the State Department of Public Health for approval and would require the department to determine whether the packaging and labeling are in compliance with the requirements of prescribed provisions of AUMA, including the requirements that the packaging be child resistant and not attractive to children, as specified.

[AB 238](#)

[Steinorth](#) R (Dist. 40)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Nonmedical marijuana: manufacturing: volatile solvents in residential structures. Would prohibit a manufacturing Level 2 licensee from manufacturing marijuana products using volatile solvents on property zoned for residential or mixed use. The bill would declare that its provisions implement specified substantive provisions and are consistent with and further the intent of the act. This bill contains other existing laws.

[AB 259](#)

[Gipson](#) D (Dist. 64)

Location: ASSEMBLY INACTIVE FILE

Medical cannabis and nonmedical marijuana: California residency requirement for licensing. Until December 31, 2019, AUMA requires a person to demonstrate continuous California residency from or before January 1, 2015, in order to be issued a license for commercial nonmedical marijuana activity. Current law, the Medical Cannabis Regulation and Safety Act (MCRSA), authorizes a person who obtains both a state license under the MCRSA and the relevant local license to engage in commercial medical cannabis activity pursuant to those licenses, as specified. Existing law prescribes requirements for a licensing authority to issue a license, including submission of an application and payment of a fee. This bill would require a person to demonstrate 3 years of continuous California residency prior to the date of application before being issued a license under either AUMA or MCRSA.



[AB 350](#)

[Salas](#) D (Dist. 32)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Cannabis edibles: appealing to children. Would change references to marijuana instead to cannabis and would amend the AUMA to prohibit a cannabis product from being made in the shape of a person, animal, insect, or fruit. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 389](#)

[Salas](#) D (Dist. 32)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Cannabis: consumer guide. Would require the Bureau of Marijuana, by July 1, 2018, to establish and make available on its Internet Web site a consumer guide to serve as a resource for the public on the California laws and regulations applicable to medicinal and adult-use cannabis.

[AB 420](#)

[Wood](#) D (Dist. 2)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Personal income tax: deduction: medical cannabis or marijuana activity. Would specifically provide in the Personal Income Tax Law for nonconformity to that federal law disallowing a deduction or credit for business expenses of a trade or business whose activities consist of trafficking specified controlled substances, only for commercial cannabis activity, as defined, commercial marijuana activity, as defined, or both, thus allowing deduction of business expenses for a cannabis or marijuana trade or business under the Personal Income Tax Law, as provided. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 729](#)

[Gray](#) D (Dist. 21)

Location: ASSEMBLY B.&P.

Nonmedical marijuana: licensee regulation. Would require a licensing authority to suspend a license for a 3rd or subsequent violation of the prohibition on engaging in nonmedical marijuana commercial activities with a person under 21 years of age if the violation occurs within 36 months of the initial violation. The bill would authorize a licensing authority to revoke a license for a 3rd violation of that provision that occurs within any 36-month period. The bill would specify that these provisions do not limit the authority and discretion of a licensing authority to revoke a license prior to a 3rd violation when the circumstances warrant that penalty.

[AB 823](#)

[Chau](#) D (Dist. 49)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Edible cannabis products: labeling. Would amend the Control, Regulate and Tax Adult Use of Marijuana Act by requiring the universal symbol required to be on edible cannabis product not sold as a liquid, loose bulk good, or powder to meet specified requirements, including that the symbol be placed directly on at least one side of each serving so as to be distinguishable and easily recognizable as well as size and placement requirements. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 844](#)

[Burke](#) D (Dist. 62)

Location: SENATE APPR.

California Marijuana Tax Fund: funding for support system navigation services: minimum performance standards. Would amend AUMA by requiring applicants for grants to support system navigation services, as described in AUMA, to meet specific minimum performance standards as a condition of grant eligibility, including, among other standards, operate 24 hours per day, 7 days a week, and 365 days a year. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 845](#)

[Wood](#) D (Dist. 2)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Cannabidiol. The California Uniform Controlled Substances Act, classifies controlled substances into 5 designated schedules with the most restrictive limitations generally placed on controlled substances classified in Schedule I, and the least restrictive limitations generally placed on controlled substances classified in Schedule V. Existing law places cannabis in Schedule I. Cannabidiol is a compound found in cannabis. This bill, if one of specified changes in federal law regarding the controlled substance cannabidiol occurs, would provide that a physician, pharmacist, or other authorized healing arts licensee who prescribes, furnishes, or dispenses a product composed of cannabidiol, in accordance with federal law, is in compliance with state law governing those acts.



[AB 903](#)

[Cunningham](#) R (Dist. 35)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

California Marijuana Tax Fund: California Highway Patrol. Would amend AUMA by requiring the Department of the California Highway Patrol to additionally use its annual appropriation from the fund to study the viability of standards for marijuana impairment and coordinate with research organizations within the state to accomplish, establish, and adopt these protocols and studies. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 948](#)

[Bonta](#) D (Dist. 18)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Cannabis: taxation: electronic funds transfer. Would, until January 1, 2022, authorize a person licensed under MAUCRSA whose estimated tax liability under that law averages \$10,000 or more per month to remit amounts due by a means other than electronic funds transfer if the California Department of Tax and Fee Administration deems it necessary to facilitate collection of amounts due. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 963](#)

[Gipson](#) D (Dist. 64)

Location: ASSEMBLY INACTIVE FILE

Taxation: marijuana. The Control, Regulate and Tax Adult Use of Marijuana Act (AUMA) imposes an excise tax on the purchase of marijuana and marijuana products, as defined, and a separate cultivation tax on marijuana that enters the commercial market, and requires revenues from those taxes, interest, penalties, and other related amounts to be deposited into the California Marijuana Tax Fund, which is continuously appropriated for specified purposes pursuant to a specified schedule. This bill would provide for the suspension or revocation of those permits, would authorize the board to deny an application for a permit if the applicant had previously been issued a permit that was suspended or revoked, among other reasons, and would set forth the process for appealing permit suspensions, revocations, and application denials.

[AB 1002](#)

[Cooley](#) D (Dist. 8)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Center for Cannabis Research. Would rename the California Marijuana Research Program the Center for Cannabis Research and would expand the purview of the program to include the study of naturally occurring constituents of cannabis and synthetic compounds that have effects similar to naturally occurring cannabinoids. The bill would authorize the program to cultivate cannabis to be used exclusively for research purposes and to contract with a private entity to provide expertise in cultivating medical cannabis.

[AB 1090](#)

[Cunningham](#) R (Dist. 35)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Cannabis use: location restrictions. Would prohibit the possession, smoking, or ingesting of cannabis or cannabis products in or upon the grounds of a school, day care center, or youth center, regardless of whether children are present. By expanding the scope of a crime, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 1096](#)

[Gray](#) D (Dist. 21)

Location: ASSEMBLY G.O.

Horse racing: minisatellite wagering facilities. Current law authorizes the California Horse Racing Board to approve an additional 15 minisatellite wagering sites in each zone under certain conditions. Current law provides that if the proposed facility is within 20 miles of one of the above-referenced satellite facilities, then the consent of each facility within a 20-mile radius must be given before the proposed facility may be approved by the board. Current law provided that until January 1, 2013, if the proposed minisatellite wagering site is in the northern zone in a fair district where the fair has operated a satellite wagering facility for the previous 5 years, the approval of the fair must be obtained even if the proposed location is more than 20 miles from the existing satellite wagering facility operated by the fair. This bill would delete this obsolete provision.



[AB 1159](#)

[Chiu](#) D (Dist. 17)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Marijuana: legal services. Under current law a contract that is contrary to an express provision of law, contrary to the policy of express law, or that is otherwise contrary to good morals is not lawful. This bill would provide that medical cannabis or commercial marijuana activity conducted in compliance with state law and any applicable local standards and regulations is a lawful object of a contract, is not contrary to an express policy or provision of law or to good morals, and is not against public policy.

[AB 1254](#)

[Wood](#) D (Dist. 2)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Production or cultivation of a controlled substance: civil penalties. Current law makes a person found to have violated specified provisions of law generally protecting fish and wildlife, water, or other natural resources in connection with the production or cultivation of a controlled substance liable for a civil penalty in addition to any penalties imposed by any other law. With respect to a violation that occurs on land that a person owns, leases, or otherwise uses or occupies with the consent of the landowner, existing law makes each day that a violation occurs or continues to occur a separate violation subject to the additional civil penalty. This bill would also make each day that a violation occurs or continues to occur on the specified types of public or private land or while the person was trespassing on public or private land a separate violation subject to the additional civil penalty.

[AB 1410](#)

[Wood](#) D (Dist. 2)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Motor vehicle violation penalty assessments. Would require the Controller to audit the apportionment and allocation of funds received by a state or local entity from a penalty assessment imposed, pursuant to specified provisions, for a criminal offense involving a violation of the Vehicle Code or any local ordinance adopted pursuant to the Vehicle Code. The bill would require the audit to include information about the financial status of any program that is funded, in whole or in part, by the penalty assessment, a 3-year history of the funds received, and a summary of the services provided by a program that is funded, in whole or in part, by the penalty assessment.

[AB 1527](#)

[Cooley](#) D (Dist. 8)

Location: SENATE B., P. & E.D.

State and local marijuana regulatory agencies: employees. Would prohibit a former employee of the Bureau of Marijuana Control, a licensing authority, the panel, or a local jurisdiction who had specified regulatory or licensing responsibilities from being employed by a person or entity licensed under AUMA or MCRSA for a period of one year from the last date of employment by the bureau, licensing authority, panel, or local jurisdiction.

[AB 1578](#)

[Jones-Sawyer](#) D (Dist. 59)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Marijuana and cannabis programs: cooperation with federal authorities. Would prohibit a state or local agency, as defined, from taking certain actions without a court order signed by a judge, including using agency money, facilities, property, equipment, or personnel to assist a federal agency to investigate, detain, detect, report, or arrest a person for commercial or noncommercial marijuana or medical cannabis activity that is authorized or allowed under state or local law in the State of California and from transferring an individual to federal law enforcement or detaining an individual at the request of federal law enforcement or federal authorities for marijuana- or cannabis-related conduct that is legal under state or local law.

[AB 1606](#)

[Cooper](#) D (Dist. 9)

Location: SENATE B., P. & E.D.

Edible marijuana products. AUMA prohibits the sale of marijuana or marijuana products unless a representative sample of the marijuana or marijuana product has been tested by a certified testing service to determine specified facts, including whether the chemical profile of the sample conforms to the label and whether the presence of contaminants exceeds specified levels. Current law requires destruction of harvested batches whose testing samples indicate noncompliance with health and safety standards promulgated by the State Department of Public Health, unless remedial measures can bring the marijuana or marijuana products into compliance. This bill would require the certified testing service to test for uniform disbursement of cannabinoids throughout the product and the accuracy of the labeled dosage.



AB 1627

Cooley D (Dist. 8)

Location: SENATE B., P. & E.D.

Adult Use Marijuana Act: testing laboratories. Would transfer the regulation of testing laboratories under AUMA from the State Department of Public Health to the bureau. AUMA authorizes the Legislature to amend, by a majority vote, certain provisions of the act to implement specified substantive provisions, provided that the amendments are consistent with and further the purposes and intent of the act. This bill would declare that its provisions implement specified substantive provisions of AUMA. The bill would also declare that its provisions further specified purposes and the intent of that act.

AB 1686

Gloria D (Dist. 78)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Nonmedical marijuana and medical cannabis: licenses: application: labor peace agreement. MCRSA requires an applicant for a MCRSA license with 20 or more employees to provide the licensing authority with a statement that the applicant will enter into, or demonstrate that it has already entered into, and abide by the terms of a labor peace agreement. MCRSA requires an applicant for a MCRSA license to provide the licensing authority with a statement, signed by the applicant under penalty of perjury, that the information provided is complete, true, and accurate. AUMA requires an applicant for an AUMA license to comply with these requirements. This bill would require that the statement relating to the labor peace agreement be signed, notarized, and submitted electronically.

AB 1700

Cooper D (Dist. 9)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Nonmedical marijuana and medical cannabis: license application: OSHA training. Would require an applicant for a state license under MCRSA or AUMA to provide a statement that the applicant employs, or will employ within one year of receiving a license, an employee who has successfully completed a federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration 10-hour general industry course. By expanding the scope of the crime of perjury, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

SB 65

Hill D (Dist. 13)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Vehicles: alcohol and marijuana: penalties. Would make drinking an alcoholic beverage or smoking or ingesting marijuana or any marijuana product while driving, or while riding as a passenger in, a motor vehicle being driven upon a highway or upon specified lands punishable as an infraction. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

SB 94

Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review

Location: SENATE CHAPTERED

Cannabis: medicinal and adult use. The Medical Marijuana Program also provides immunity from arrest to those exempt patients or designated primary caregivers who engage in certain acts involving marijuana, up to certain limits, and who have identification cards issued pursuant to the program unless there is reasonable cause to believe that the information contained in the card is false or fraudulent, the card has been obtained by means of fraud, or the person is otherwise in violation of the law. This bill would require probable cause to believe that the information on the card is false or fraudulent, the card was obtained by fraud, or the person is otherwise in violation of the law to overcome immunity from arrest to patients and primary caregivers in possession of an identification card.

SB 162

Allen D (Dist. 26)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Marijuana and medical cannabis: marketing. Current law, the Medical Cannabis Regulation and Safety Act (MCRSA), authorizes a person who obtains both a state license under MCRSA and the applicable local license to engage in commercial medical cannabis activity pursuant to those licenses, as specified. This bill would prohibit medical cannabis and nonmedical marijuana licensees from advertising using branded merchandise, as specified. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.



[SB 175](#)

[McGuire](#) D (Dist. 2)

Location: ASSEMBLY AGRI.

Marijuana: county of origin: marketing and advertising. The Control, Regulate and Tax Adult Use of Marijuana Act (AUMA), an initiative measure enacted by the approval of Proposition 64 at the November 8, 2016, statewide general election, provides for the licensure and regulation of commercial nonmedical marijuana activities, for which responsibility is also generally divided between those same state entities. Both MCRSA and AUMA prohibit the use of the name of a California county in the labeling, marketing, or packaging of medical marijuana products or nonmedical marijuana products unless the marijuana contained in the product was grown in that county. This bill would specify that those prohibitions also apply to the advertising of marijuana and include the use of any similar sounding name that is likely to mislead consumers as to the origin of the product.

[SB 311](#)

[Pan](#) D (Dist. 6)

Location: ASSEMBLY B.&P.

Medical cannabis and nonmedical marijuana: testing by a licensee. The Medical Cannabis Regulation and Safety Act and the Adult Use of Marijuana Act, requires all cultivators, manufacturers, and licensees holding a producing dispensary license in addition to a cultivation or manufacturing license to send all medical cannabis, medical cannabis products, marijuana, and marijuana products cultivated or manufactured to a distributor for presale quality assurance and inspection by a distributor and for a batch testing by a testing laboratory prior to distribution to a dispensary or retailer. This bill would also authorize a licensee to perform testing on the licensee's premises of cannabis or cannabis products obtained from another licensee for the purpose of quality assurance.

[SB 663](#)

[Nielsen](#) R (Dist. 4)

Location: ASSEMBLY THIRD READING

Packages and labels of cannabis or cannabis products: children. Would specify that a package or label of cannabis or cannabis products is deemed to be attractive to children if the package or label has specific characteristics, including, among others, displaying a name resembling the name of any candy, snack food, baked good, or beverage commercially sold without marijuana. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[SB 794](#)

[Stern](#) D (Dist. 27)

Location: ASSEMBLY HEALTH

Edible marijuana products: labeling and packaging. Would require each single serving of an edible marijuana product to be stamped, marked, or otherwise imprinted directly on the product with a universal symbol that is designed by the Bureau of Marijuana Control. The bill would specify the required size and visibility of the universal symbol. The bill would require edible marijuana products to be sold in packaging that is tamperproof, child resistant, and, if the product contains more than one serving, resealable. AUMA authorizes the Legislature to amend, by a 2/3 vote, certain provisions of the act, provided that the amendments are consistent with, and further the purposes and intent of, the act.

[SJR 5](#)

[Stone](#) R (Dist. 28)

Location: ASSEMBLY THIRD READING

Federal rescheduling of marijuana from a Schedule I drug. This measure would request that the Congress of the United States pass a law to reschedule marijuana or cannabis and its derivatives from a Schedule I drug to an alternative schedule and that the President of the United States sign such legislation.

Early Childhood Education

[AB 26](#)

[Caballero](#) D (Dist. 30)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Child care and development: child care resource and referral programs: assistance to license-exempt child care providers. The Child Care and Development Services Act administered by the State Department of Education, requires the Superintendent of Public Instruction to administer child care and development programs. Current law authorizes funds appropriated for purposes of the act to be used for child care resource and referral programs, which may be operated by public or private nonprofit entities and are required to provide certain information and services to parents and child care providers relating to child care services in a defined geographic area. This bill would, until July 1, 2022, require the department to



establish and administer a pilot program to provide outreach, training, and technical assistance to license-exempt child care providers through county child care resource and referral programs.

[AB 60](#)

[Santiago D](#) (Dist. 53)

Location: SENATE ED.

Subsidized child care and development services: eligibility periods. Would require that a family, upon establishing initial eligibility or ongoing eligibility for services under the Child Care and Development Services Act, be considered to meet all eligibility requirements for those services for not less than 12 months, receive those services for not less than 12 months before having its eligibility redetermined, and not be required to report changes to income or other changes for at least 12 months, except as provided. The bill would revise the definition of “income eligible” and provide that the definition applies for purposes of establishing initial income eligibility for services under the act, and would add a definition of “ongoing income eligible” for purposes of establishing ongoing income eligibility for services under the act.

[AB 99](#)

Committee on Budget

Location: ASSEMBLY CHAPTERED

School finance: education omnibus trailer bill. Current law establishes a public school financing system that requires state funding for county superintendents of schools, school districts, and charter schools to be calculated pursuant to a local control funding formula, as specified. Current law requires, for the 2013–14 fiscal year and for each fiscal year thereafter, the Superintendent of Public Instruction to annually calculate a county local control funding formula for each county superintendent of schools, as provided. This bill, commencing with the 2017–18 fiscal year, would require the Superintendent to add a specified amount to the annual apportionment to each county superintendent of schools as part of the county local control funding formula, as provided.

[AB 258](#)

[Arambula D](#) (Dist. 31)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Child care and development services: individualized county child care subsidy plan: County of Fresno. Would authorize, until January 1, 2023, the County of Fresno to develop an individualized county child care subsidy plan, as specified. The bill would require the plan to be submitted to the local planning council and the Fresno County Board of Supervisors for approval, as specified. The bill would require the Early Education and Support Division of the State Department of Education to review and approve or disapprove the plan and any subsequent modifications to the plan.

[AB 273](#)

[Aguilar-Curry D](#) (Dist. 4)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Child care services: eligibility. The Child Care and Development Services Act requires the Superintendent of Public Instruction to administer child care and development programs that offer a full range of services for eligible children from infancy to 13 years of age. Existing law establishes eligibility requirements and requires families to meet at least one requirement in each of 2 specified areas. This bill would include in the area relating to need, as a requirement that may be satisfied for purposes of eligibility, that the family needs the child care services because the parents are engaged in an educational program for English as a second language learners or to attain a high school diploma or general educational development certificate.

[AB 300](#)

[Caballero D](#) (Dist. 30)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Child care and development services: individualized county child care subsidy plans: Counties of Monterey, San Benito, Santa Clara, and Santa Cruz. Would authorize, until January 1, 2023, the Counties of Monterey, San Benito, and Santa Cruz to develop individualized county child care subsidy plans, as specified. The bill would require the plans to be submitted by the counties to their local planning council and their respective county board of supervisors for approval, as specified. The bill would require the Early Education and Support Division of the State Department of Education to review and approve or disapprove the plans and any subsequent modifications to the plans.

[AB 603](#)

[Quirk-Silva D](#) (Dist. 65)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Child care: alternative payment programs: child care providers. The Child Care and Development Services Act requires the State Department of Education to contract with local contracting agencies to



provide for alternative payment programs, and authorizes alternative payments to be made for child care services, as provided. The act requires child care providers authorized to provide services to submit to the alternative payment program a monthly attendance record or invoice for each child who received services, as provided. This bill would require, on or before January 1, 2019, the department to provide to the appropriate policy and fiscal committees of the Legislature cost estimates and system analysis for alternative payment programs to develop an electronic timesheet process for the monthly attendance record or invoices, as provided.

[AB 752](#)

[Rubio](#) D (Dist. 48)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Child care: state preschool programs: expulsion. Would prohibit a contracting agency from expelling or unenrolling a child from a state preschool program because of a child's behavior unless the contracting agency has expeditiously pursued and documented reasonable steps to maintain the child's safe participation in the program and determines, in consultation with specified parties, that the child's continued enrollment would present a continued serious safety threat to the child or other enrolled children, and has referred the parents or legal guardians to other potentially appropriate placements, the local child care resource and referral agency, or any other referral service available in the local community.

[AB 1106](#)

[Weber](#) D (Dist. 79)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Child care and development services: alternative payment programs: military families. The Child Care and Development Services Act requires the State Department of Education to expand existing alternative payment programs and fund new alternative payment programs to the extent that funds are provided by the Legislature. This bill would require an alternative payment program, with certain exceptions, to have no less than 36 months to expend funds allocated to that program in any fiscal year, and would require the Superintendent of Public Instruction to develop a process that provides alternative payment programs no less than 36 months to expend funds allocated to that program in any fiscal year.

Economic Development

[SB 13](#)

[Gaines](#) R (Dist. 1)

Location: SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Sales and use taxes: exemption: manufacturing and research. On and after July 1, 2014, tangible personal property with a useful life of one or more years, as defined by reference to state income or franchise taxes, is deemed to have a useful life of one or more years for purposes of the exemption. Current law exempts from the definition of qualified person a trade or business that is required to apportion its business income under a specified section of law, which includes, among others, a trade or business that derives more than 50% of its gross business receipts, as defined, from conducting agricultural business activities. This bill, on and after January 1, 2018, would expand the definition of a qualified person to include a person that conducts a trade or business that is required to apportion its business income because it derives 50% or more of its gross business receipts, as defined, from conducting agricultural business activities, as specified.

Education

[AB 214](#)

[Weber](#) D (Dist. 79)

Location: ASSEMBLY ENROLLED

Postsecondary education: student hunger. Would express the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to reduce the incidence of hunger and homelessness among college students in California. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 234](#)

[Steinorth](#) R (Dist. 40)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Student financial aid: Assumption Program of Loans for Education. Would express the intent of the Legislature to restore the funding for the Assumption Program of Loans for Education to its 2011–12 fiscal year level. The bill would require the Student Aid Commission to award 7,200 new warrants for the assumption of loans under the program in the 2017–18 fiscal year. The bill would appropriate \$5,000,000 from the General Fund to the commission for the funding of warrants for the assumption of loans under the program for the 2017–18 fiscal year.

Position: San Bernardino County Support



[AB 667](#)

[Reyes](#) D (Dist. 47)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Pupil discipline: suspension: informal conference. Current law requires a suspension by the principal, the principal's designee, or the district superintendent of schools to be preceded by an informal conference conducted by the principal, the principal's designee, or the district superintendent of schools between the pupil and, whenever practicable, the teacher, supervisor, or school employee who referred the pupil to the principal, the principal's designee, or the district superintendent of schools. Current law requires a pupil, at the conference, to be informed of the reason for the disciplinary action and the evidence against him or her, and given the opportunity to present his or her version and evidence in his or her defense. This bill would require a pupil, at the conference, to also be informed of the other means of correction that were attempted before the suspension.

[SB 12](#)

[Beall](#) D (Dist. 15)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Foster youth: postsecondary education: financial aid assistance. Would require the Student Aid Commission to work cooperatively with the State Department of Social Services to develop an automated system to verify a student's status as a foster youth to aid in the processing of applications for federal financial aid. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[SB 483](#)

[Glazer](#) D (Dist. 7)

Location: SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Education finance: Higher Education Facilities Bond Act of 2018. Would enact the Higher Education Facilities Bond Act of 2018, which, upon approval by the state electorate, would authorize the issuance of state general obligation bonds in an amount not to exceed \$2,000,000,000 with one-half of the amount designated for the University of California and the Hastings College of the Law and the other half designated for the California State University, for purposes similar to those specified in the Higher Education Facilities Bond Act of 1986, the Higher Education Facilities Bond Act of 1988, and the Higher Education Facilities Bond Act of June 1992, to be issued and sold in a manner similar to that provided under those acts.

Elections

[AB 84](#)

[Mullin](#) D (Dist. 22)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Primary elections: election date. Would require that the presidential primary election be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in March of a year that is evenly divisible by the number 4. The bill would require that the statewide direct primary election be held on that same day in March and consolidated with the presidential primary election during a presidential primary election year. The statewide direct primary election would continue to be held in June of an even-numbered year in which a presidential primary election is not held.

[AB 187](#)

[Gloria](#) D (Dist. 78)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Political Reform Act of 1974: local ballot measure contribution and expenditure reporting. The Political Reform Act of 1974 provides that if a committee receives contributions totaling \$2,000 or more in a calendar year and is subject to a specified reporting requirement, that committee is required to file online or electronically with the Secretary of State each time it makes contributions of independent expenditures of at least \$5,000 to support or oppose the qualification or passage of a single state ballot measure. This bill would additionally require a committee to file a report each time it makes contributions or independent expenditures aggregating \$5,000 or more to support or oppose the qualification of a single local initiative or referendum ballot measure.

[AB 195](#)

[Obernolte](#) R (Dist. 33)

Location: ASSEMBLY ENROLLED

Local initiative measures: ballot printing specifications. Current law requires that the ballots used when voting upon a proposed county, city, or district ordinance submitted to the voters as an initiative measure have printed on them a specified statement describing the nature of the proposed ordinance. This bill would extend these ballot requirements to any measure submitted to the voters that is proposed by a local



governing body or submitted to the voters as an initiative or referendum measure. The bill would require the statement describing the measure to be a true and impartial synopsis of the proposed measure, as specified.

[AB 606](#)

[Berman](#) D (Dist. 24)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

State voter information guides. Current law requires the Secretary of State to make available the complete contents of the state voter information guide over the Internet. Current law also requires the Secretary of State to establish procedures to allow a voter to opt out of receiving the state voter information guide by mail and, instead, to either receive the guide in an electronic format or receive an electronic notification making the guide available by means of online access. This bill would require the Secretary of State to instead include before each state measure a conspicuous notice that identifies the location on the Secretary of State's Internet Web site of the specific constitutional or statutory provision that the state measure would repeal or revise, as specified.

[AB 939](#)

[Low](#) D (Dist. 28)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Elections: precincts: postings. Current law, before opening the polls, requires the precinct board to post at least two copies of the index to the affidavits of voter registration for that precinct in separate, convenient places at or near the polling place. Current law allows the copies of the index to be by street address in numerical order. This bill instead would require the copies of the index to be by street address in numerical order. By imposing additional duties on elections officials, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program.

[ACA 1](#)

[Mayes](#) R (Dist. 42)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Greenhouse Gas Reduction Reserve Fund. Would create the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Reserve Fund, in which all moneys collected by the State Air Resources Board as part of a market-based compliance mechanism beginning January 1, 2024, and until the effective date of specified legislation would be deposited. The measure would require all moneys in the fund to be available upon appropriation for specified purposes and would require a bill making those appropriations to be passed by a 2/3 vote of the membership of each house of the Legislature. The measure would require all new moneys collected as part of a market-based compliance mechanism after the effective date of that specified legislation to be deposited in the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund.

[ACA 3](#)

[Kiley](#) R (Dist. 6)

Location: ASSEMBLY E. & R.

Elections: initiatives and referenda. Would transfer from the Attorney General to the Legislative Analyst the duty of preparing the title and summary for a proposed initiative or referendum. The measure would also require, for each measure that appears on a statewide ballot, that the Legislative Analyst to prepare the ballot label, and the ballot title and summary for the ballot pamphlet.

[SB 149](#)

[McGuire](#) D (Dist. 2)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Presidential primary elections: ballot access. Would enact the Presidential Tax Transparency and Accountability Act, which would require a candidate for President, in order to have his or her name placed upon a primary election ballot, to file his or her income tax returns for the 5 most recent taxable years with the Secretary of State, as specified. The act would impose the same requirement on a Presidential write-in candidate, in order for votes for the candidate in a presidential primary election to be counted.

[SB 286](#)

[Stern](#) D (Dist. 27)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Elections: voting. Current law permits vote by mail voters who return to their home precincts on election day to vote if they surrender their vote by mail ballots, as specified. Current law requires the precinct board to return these surrendered ballots to the elections official in a designated envelope. This bill would permit vote by mail voters who return to their home precincts or go to another voting location, as specified, to vote nonprovisional ballots if they surrender their ballots to the relevant voting authority or, if they are unable to surrender their vote by mail ballots, if the voting authority verifies that they have not returned their vote by mail ballots and notates their voter records accordingly.



[SCA 5](#)

[Fuller R](#) (Dist. 16)

Location: SENATE RLS.

Elections: initiative, referendum, and recall. The California Constitution provides that all political power is inherent in the people and that government is instituted for their protection, security, and benefit. The California Constitution provides that the people have the right to alter or reform government when the public good may require. This measure would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to this provision.

Emergency Services

[AB 263](#)

[Rodriguez D](#) (Dist. 52)

Location: SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Emergency medical services workers: rights and working conditions. Would require an employer that provides emergency medical services as part of an emergency medical services system or plan to authorize and permit its employees engaged in prehospital emergency services to take prescribed rest periods, including specifying grounds for interruption of a rest period and compensation for an interrupted rest period. The bill also would require the employer to provide these employees with prescribed meal periods, including specifying grounds for interruption of a meal period and compensation for an interrupted meal period.

[AB 289](#)

[Gray D](#) (Dist. 21)

Location: ASSEMBLY ENROLLED

Office of Emergency Services: State Emergency Plan: update. Would require the Office of Emergency Services to update the State Emergency Plan on or before January 1, 2019, and every 5 years thereafter.

[AB 1116](#)

[Grayson D](#) (Dist. 14)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Peer Support and Crisis Referral Services Act. Would create the Peer Support and Crisis Referral Services Act. The bill would, for purposes of the act, define a "peer support team" as a local critical incident response team composed of individuals from emergency services professions, emergency medical services, hospital staff, clergy, educators, and mental health professionals who have completed a peer support training course developed by the Office of Emergency Services, the California Firefighter Joint Apprenticeship Committee, or the Commission on Correctional Peace Officer Standards and Training, as specified.

Employee Relations

[AB 553](#)

[Daly D](#) (Dist. 69)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Workers' compensation: return-to-work program. Current law funds the return-to-work program with \$120,000,000 per year derived from the Workers' Compensation Administration Revolving Fund. Current law requires the Director of the Division of Workers' Compensation to determine eligibility for payments and the amount of payments, as specified. This bill would require the director to have the program distribute the \$120,000,000 annually to eligible workers, as specified, and would require, commencing with the end of the 2017 calendar year, that any remaining program funds available after the above-described supplemental payments are made be distributed pro rata to those eligible workers, subject to a \$25,000 limit per calendar year.

[SB 63](#)

[Jackson D](#) (Dist. 19)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Unlawful employment practice: parental leave. Would prohibit an employer, as defined, from refusing to allow an employee with more than 12 months of service with the employer, who has at least 1,250 hours of service with the employer during the previous 12-month period, and who works at a worksite in which the employer employs at least 20 employees within 75 miles, to take up to 12 weeks of parental leave to bond with a new child within one year of the child's birth, adoption, or foster care placement. The bill would also prohibit an employer from refusing to maintain and pay for coverage under a group health plan for an employee who takes this leave.



Environmental Health

[AB 1404](#)

[Berman](#) D (Dist. 24)

Location: SENATE APPR.

California Environmental Quality Act: categorical exemption: infill development. CEQA requires the Office of Planning and Research to prepare and develop, and the Secretary of the Natural Resources Agency to certify and adopt, guidelines for the implementation of CEQA. CEQA requires the guidelines to include a list of classes of projects that have been determined not to have a significant effect on the environment and that shall be exempt from CEQA (categorical exemption). Current guidelines for the implementation of CEQA exempts from the requirements of CEQA infill development meeting certain requirements, including the requirement that the proposed development occurs within city limits. This bill would revise the above-described categorical exemption to include proposed residential and mixed-use housing projects occurring within an unincorporated area of a county.

Position: San Bernardino County Support

Finance

[AB 9](#)

[Garcia, Cristina](#) D (Dist. 58)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Sales and use taxes: exemption: sanitary napkins: tampons: menstrual sponges and menstrual cups. Would, on and after January 1, 2018, exempt from sales and use taxes the gross receipts from the sale in this state of, and the storage, use, or other consumption in this state of, tampons, sanitary napkins, menstrual sponges, and menstrual cups. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 75](#)

[Steinorth](#) R (Dist. 40)

Location: ASSEMBLY REV. & TAX

Personal income taxes: earned income credit. Would, for taxable years beginning on and after January 1, 2017, expand the earned income credit allowed by the Personal Income Tax Law by providing additional conformity with federal income tax law to include specified net earnings from self-employment in earned income, thus allowing an earned income credit for taxpayers for those earnings. This bill would additionally set the earned income tax credit adjustment factor as 85%.

Health and Human Services

[AB 85](#)

[Rodriguez](#) D (Dist. 52)

Location: SENATE V. A.

General assistance: employable veterans. Current law requires each county to provide aid to its indigent residents not supported by other means. Current law permits a county to prohibit an employable individual from receiving general assistance benefits for more than 3 months in any 12-month period, whether or not the months are consecutive, if he or she has been offered an opportunity to attend job skills or job training sessions. This bill would, commencing July 1, 2018, exempt from that prohibition an employable veteran who was honorably discharged from the United States Armed Forces, unless the county enacts an ordinance, by July 1, 2018, making the prohibition applicable to an employable veteran who was honorably discharged from the United States Armed Forces.

[AB 105](#)

Committee on Budget

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Human services. Current law requires the Department of Community Services and Development to develop and administer the Energy Efficiency Low-Income Weatherization Program and expend moneys appropriated by the Legislature for the purposes of the program. This bill would require the department, for any appropriation to the department for the Energy Efficiency Low-Income Weatherization Program in the 2017–18 fiscal year, or any fiscal year thereafter, in its contract procurement processes for single-family energy efficiency and renewable energy services, to develop new program processes and solicitations, as specified.

[AB 164](#)

[Arambula](#) D (Dist. 31)

Location: SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Food assistance. Would require, on and after July 1, 2018, the State Department of Social Services to develop a mechanism to respond to changing needs for food assistance and to allow the department



flexibility to provide nutrition benefits for specific populations. The bill would set forth criteria for the mechanism, including requiring the mechanism to be designed to issue nutrition benefits using EBT and designed in a manner that can target various populations, depending on the purpose of the specific benefit.

[AB 180](#)

[Wood D \(Dist. 2\)](#)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Medi-Cal. Current law requires the State Department of Health Care Services to develop and prepare one or more reports issued on at least a quarterly basis and make the reports public within 30 days for the purpose of informing the California Health and Human Services Agency, the California Health Benefit Exchange, the Legislature, and the public about the enrollment process for all insurance affordability programs. Current law further requires the department to collect the data for these reports pursuant to specified administrative procedures. This bill would require these ongoing reports to be issued on at least a biannual basis and be made public within 90, rather than 30, days.

[AB 205](#)

[Wood D \(Dist. 2\)](#)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Medi-Cal: Medi-Cal managed care plans. Under current law, one of the methods by which Medi-Cal services are provided is pursuant to contracts with various types of managed care plans. Current federal regulations, published on May 6, 2016, revise regulations governing Medicaid managed care plans to, among other things, align, where feasible, those rules with those of other major sources of coverage, including coverage through qualified health plans offered through an American Health Benefit Exchange, such as the California Health Benefit Exchange, and promote quality of care and strengthen efforts to reform delivery systems that serve Medicaid and CHIP beneficiaries. This bill would implement various provisions in regard to those federal regulations, as amended May 6, 2016, governing Medicaid managed care plans.

[AB 227](#)

[Mayes R \(Dist. 42\)](#)

Location: SENATE HUM. S.

CalWORKs: education incentives. Would, contingent upon the appropriation in the Budget Act of an amount sufficient to carry out the purposes of the bill, as determined by the department, create the CalWORKs Educational Opportunity and Attainment Program. The bill would provide CalWORKs recipients with a monthly education incentive grant of \$100 for attainment of a high school diploma or its equivalent as an ongoing adjustment to the recipient's monthly cash grant, if the recipient meets certain eligibility criteria.

[AB 236](#)

[Maienschein R \(Dist. 77\)](#)

Location: SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

CalWORKs: housing assistance. As part of the CalWORKs program, a homeless family that has used all available liquid resources in excess of \$100 is eligible for homeless assistance benefits to pay the costs of temporary shelter if the family is eligible for aid under the CalWORKs program. This bill would also provide that homeless assistance is available to homeless families that would be eligible for aid under the CalWORKs program but for the fact that the only child or children in the family are in out-of-home placement pursuant to an order of the dependency court, if the family is receiving reunification services and the county determines that homeless assistance is necessary for reunification to occur.

Position: San Bernardino County Support

[AB 275](#)

[Wood D \(Dist. 2\)](#)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Long-term care facilities: requirements for changes resulting in the inability of the facility to care for its residents. Current law imposes various notice and planning requirements upon a long-term health care facility before allowing a change in the status of the license or operation of the facility that results in the inability of the facility to care for its patients or residents, including a requirement for written notification to the affected patients or their guardians at least 30 days prior to the change. Under existing law, these requirements also include taking reasonable steps to medically, socially, and physically assess each affected patient or resident prior to a transfer due to the change, and, when 10 or more residents are likely to be transferred due to a change, the preparation and submission of a proposed relocation plan to the department for approval. This bill would expand the notice and planning requirements that a long-term health care facility provides before any change in the status of the license or in the operation of the facility that results in its inability to care for its residents.



[AB 322](#)

[Mullin](#) D (Dist. 22)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Public social services for deaf persons. Current law requires the State Department of Social Services, with the advice of persons knowledgeable about the provision of public social services to deaf and hard-of-hearing persons, to establish the criteria for funding public social services for the deaf and hard of hearing. This bill, upon appropriation by the Legislature, would require the department to provide deaf access program services to deaf and hard-of-hearing individuals who reside in a linguistically isolated household, as defined.

[AB 323](#)

[Berman](#) D (Dist. 24)

Location: ASSEMBLY ENROLLED

CalFresh: emergency food provider referrals. Current law requires a county welfare department to compile a list of emergency food providers and make that list available upon request. This bill, to be known as the County Human Services Information and Referral Modernization Act of 2017, would authorize a county human services agency to refer a CalFresh applicant or recipient to the 2-1-1 dial code to access information on emergency food providers and supplemental food assistance providers in lieu of providing a list if the county deems that method to be the most appropriate to serve an applicant or recipient.

[AB 340](#)

[Arambula](#) D (Dist. 31)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment Program: trauma screening. Would require, consistent with federal law, that screening services under the EPSDT program include screening for trauma, as defined by the bill and as specified. The bill also would require the Department of Health Care Services, in consultation with the State Department of Social Services and others, to adopt, employ, and develop, as appropriate, tools and protocols for screening children for trauma and would authorize the department to implement, interpret, or make specific the screening tools and protocols by means of all-county letters, plan letters, or plan or provider bulletins, as specified.

[AB 415](#)

[Chiu](#) D (Dist. 17)

Location: SENATE APPR.

CalFresh: employment social enterprises. Would authorize the State Department of Social Services, to the extent permitted by federal law, to contract directly with an entity that provides services on a regional or statewide basis and that has expertise in, and secures funds for, CalFresh E&T program services. The bill would authorize the department to act as the state entity for receipt of federal reimbursement on behalf of the entity in certain circumstances and would require the department to seek any county consultation necessary to implement the contract.

[AB 550](#)

[Reyes](#) D (Dist. 47)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

State Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program: funding. Current law requires the California Department of Aging to allocate federal and state funds for local ombudsman programs according to a specified distribution, but prohibits the department from allocating less than \$35,000 per fiscal year, except in areas with fewer than 10 facilities and fewer than 500 beds. This bill would increase the base allocation for local ombudsman programs to \$100,000 per fiscal year. The bill would appropriate \$2,250,000 from the General Fund to the California Department of Aging for the purpose of increasing base allocation funding for that purpose.

Position: San Bernardino County Support

[AB 557](#)

[Rubio](#) D (Dist. 48)

Location: SENATE APPR.

CalWORKs: victims of abuse. This bill would provide that a circumstance that shall constitute good cause includes, but is not limited to, the applicant or recipient is in a domestic violence situation that results in school nonparticipation or the failure to cooperate.

[AB 563](#)

[Arambula](#) D (Dist. 31)

Location: SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

CalFresh Employment and Training program. Current federal law limits a participant who is an able-bodied adult without dependents (ABAWD) to 3 months of CalFresh benefits in a 3-year period unless that



participant has met specified work participation requirements. Current law directs the State Department of Social Services to annually seek a federal waiver of this limitation, and provides that an eligible county is included in this waiver unless the county declines to participate in the waiver request. This bill, for a county that elects to participate in the CalFresh E&T, would prohibit a person who is subject to the able-bodied adult without dependents (ABAWD) time limit described above from mandatory placement in CalFresh E&T.

[AB 597](#)

[Stone, Mark](#) D (Dist. 29)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Child abuse and neglect: information: computerized database system. Would authorize the Counties of Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, and San Mateo to jointly establish a computerized database system to be used between and among those counties, and would authorize that system to also share specified identifying information regarding families at risk for child abuse or neglect for research purposes. The bill would authorize the sharing of personal identifying information for research purposes only upon approval by an institutional review board. The bill would set forth various conditions for the review and approval of a research project for the purpose of protecting personal identifying information.

[AB 604](#)

[Gipson](#) D (Dist. 64)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Nonminor dependents: extended foster care benefits. Current law authorizes a nonminor who attained 18 years of age while subject to an order for foster care placement and who has not attained 21 years of age, for whom the court has dismissed dependency, delinquency, or transition jurisdiction, to petition the court for a hearing to resume the dependency jurisdiction over a former dependent or to assume or resume transition jurisdiction over a former delinquent ward. The bill would, among other things, expand the definition of nonminor dependent to include a nonminor subject to an order vesting temporary placement and care with a county child welfare department.

[AB 607](#)

[Gloria](#) D (Dist. 78)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Public social services: disaster assistance services. Current law requires CalWORKs eligibility to be terminated if the recipient has received aid payment at an address outside of the state for two consecutive months, the county has made inquiry of the recipient, and the recipient has not responded and has not clearly shown that he or she has not established residence elsewhere and has been prevented by illness or other good cause from returning to this state. This bill, to be known and cited as the Community Resiliency and Disaster Preparedness Act of 2017, would additionally authorize a person who has responded, clearly showing that he or she has not established residence elsewhere and has been prevented from returning to the state due to a disaster declared by the Governor, or the President of the United States, to continue his or her CalWORKs eligibility.

[AB 611](#)

[Dababneh](#) D (Dist. 45)

Location: SENATE JUD.

Mandated reporters of suspected financial abuse of an elder or dependent adult: powers of attorney. Would authorize a mandated reporter of suspected financial abuse of an elder or dependent adult to not honor a power of attorney as to an attorney-in-fact about whom he or she made a report to an adult protective services agency or a local law enforcement agency of any state that the natural person who executed the power of attorney may be an elder or dependent adult subject to financial abuse.

[AB 675](#)

[Ridley-Thomas](#) D (Dist. 54)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

In-home supportive services. Current law requires, as part of the CCI, Medi-Cal long-term services and supports, including IHSS, to be covered services under managed care health plan contracts and to be available only through managed care health plans to beneficiaries residing in the CCI counties, except as specified. This bill would provide that the provision conditioning implementation of the CCI on the above-described estimation by the Director of Finance shall not apply to the requirement that IHSS be a covered service available through managed care health plans in CCI counties, and would continue IHSS as a covered service available through Medi-Cal managed care health plans in those counties.



AB 766

Friedman D (Dist. 43)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Foster youth. Current law authorizes a nonminor dependent to receive all of his or her AFDC-FC payment directly if he or she is living in a supervised independent living placement and he or she complies with certain requirements. This bill would establish, as an additional AFDC-FC eligible placement for specified minor dependents enrolled in a postsecondary educational institution, a dormitory or other designated housing of the postsecondary educational institution in which the minor dependent is living independently. The bill would authorize the minor dependent to receive the AFDC-FC payment directly, if specified conditions are met.

AB 796

Kalra D (Dist. 27)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Public social services: SSI/SSP. Current law prohibits, for each calendar year, commencing with the 2011 calendar year, any cost-of-living adjustment from being made to the maximum benefit payment unless otherwise specified by statute, except for the pass along of any cost-of-living increase in the federal SSI benefits. Current law continuously appropriates funds for the implementation of SSP. This bill would reinstate the cost-of-living adjustment beginning January 1 of the 2018 calendar year.

AB 818

Burke D (Dist. 62)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

CalWORKs: welfare to work. Current law establishes the California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) program, under which each county provides cash assistance and other benefits to qualified low-income families using federal, state, and county funds. This bill would provide that for purposes of the educational or treatment program circumstance, a high school education or its equivalent is presumed to meaningfully increase the likelihood of the recipient's employment.

Position: San Bernardino County Support

AB 910

Ridley-Thomas D (Dist. 54)

Location: SENATE APPR.

CalWORKs: welfare-to-work activities: hours. Current law requires families to be grouped into assistance units for purposes of determining eligibility and computing the amount of CalWORKs aid to be paid. This bill would, commencing July 1, 2018, instead require that aid be granted to a family with a related child who is under 18 years of age if the family meets applicable eligibility requirements, without regard to the absence or employment status of the parent. The bill would prohibit, however, an absent parent from being included in the family's assistance unit for purposes of determining eligibility or computing the amount of aid to be paid, as specified.

AB 992

Arambula D (Dist. 31)

Location: SENATE HUM. S.

CalWORKs: Baby Wellness and Family Support Home Visiting Program. Would establish the Baby Wellness and Family Support Home Visiting Program that would require the State Department of Social Services to allocate funds to counties for the purpose of implementing or contracting with specified early home visiting programs to provide voluntary home visiting programs approved by the department and would authorize the funds to be used to coordinate early home visiting services with, among others, child education and development programs and diaper bank services.

AB 1006

Maienschein R (Dist. 77)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Foster youth. Would require, in any case in which the court has ordered a dependent child or a ward of the juvenile court placed for adoption or has appointed a relative or nonrelative legal guardian, the social worker or probation officer to provide the prospective adoptive family or the guardian or guardians specified mental health treatment information. The bill would also require the department, the county adoption agency, or the licensed adoption agency, to provide that information to the prospective adoptive family at the time the application for adoption is made and at the time immediately prior to the finalization of the adoption decree.



[AB 1021](#)

[Baker](#) R (Dist. 16)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

In-home supportive services: application. Current law provides for the county-administered In-Home Supportive Services program, under which qualified aged, blind, and disabled persons are provided with services in order to permit them to remain in their own homes. This bill would require each county to accept applications for benefits under the program by telephone, through facsimile, or in person, or, if the county is capable of accepting online applications or applications via email for benefits under the program, by email or other electronic means.

[AB 1092](#)

[Cooley](#) D (Dist. 8)

Location: SENATE HEALTH

Medi-Cal: eyeglasses. Current law provides for a schedule of benefits under the Medi-Cal program, which includes eyeglasses, subject to utilization controls. Current law provides, except as specified, that certain optional Medi-Cal benefits, including, among others, optometric and optician services, are excluded from coverage under the Medi-Cal program. This bill, to the extent federal financial participation is available, any necessary federal approvals are obtained, and funds are appropriated by the Legislature for its purposes, would restore coverage of one pair of eyeglasses provided every 2 years to an individual 21 years of age or older.

[AB 1098](#)

[McCarty](#) D (Dist. 7)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Child death investigations: review teams. Current law authorizes each county to develop a protocol to be used as a guideline by persons performing autopsies on children to assist coroners and other persons who perform autopsies in the identification of child abuse or neglect, in the determination of whether child abuse or neglect contributed to death or whether child abuse or neglect had occurred prior to but was not the actual cause of death, and in the proper written reporting procedures for child abuse or neglect, including the designation of the cause and mode of death. This bill would require the autopsy-related protocol described above to be developed by the State Department of Public Health, and would authorize the department to consult with the Counties of Los Angeles and Sacramento in developing the protocol. The bill would require the protocol to include data collection, confidentiality, and reporting provisions.

[AB 1164](#)

[Thurmond](#) D (Dist. 15)

Location: SENATE ED.

School district annual budgets and certificated school employees. Current law, unless the school district is granted an exemption, limits the amount of the combined assigned or unassigned ending fund balance contained in a school district's annual budget in any fiscal year immediately after a fiscal year in which a transfer is made into the Public School System Stabilization Account, and establishes a formula for calculating the maximum amount allowable for school districts with less than 400,000 units of average daily attendance, and a formula for school districts with more than 400,000 units of average daily attendance, as specified. This bill would instead make that limitation applicable in a fiscal year immediately after a fiscal year in which the amount of moneys in the Public School System Stabilization Account are equal to or exceed 3% of the combined total of General Fund revenues appropriated for school districts and allocated local proceeds of taxes, as specified, for that fiscal year.

Position: San Bernardino County Support

[AB 1268](#)

[Reyes](#) D (Dist. 47)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Domestic violence and sexual assault: prevention. Would create the Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Prevention Fund and require that moneys in the fund be used, upon appropriation by the Legislature, to provide grants to nonprofit organizations for the purpose of funding programs that incorporate comprehensive, evidence-based, and promising practices to prevent domestic violence and sexual assault. The bill would require grants to be awarded by the Office of Emergency Services according to criteria for funding that would be established by the office in consultation with practitioners and experts in the field of domestic violence and sexual assault prevention. The bill would require grants to be 3 years in length and for a minimum amount of \$150,000.



[AB 1332](#)

[Bloom](#) D (Dist. 50)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Juveniles: dependents: removal. Would prohibit the removal of a child from the physical custody of his or her parent with whom the child did not reside at the time the petition was initiated, unless the juvenile court finds clear and convincing evidence that there would be a substantial danger to the physical health, safety, protection, or physical or emotional well-being of the child for the parent to live with the child or otherwise exercise the parent's right to physical custody, and there are no reasonable means available by which the child's physical and emotional health can be protected without removing the child from the child's parent's physical custody.

[AB 1371](#)

[Stone, Mark](#) D (Dist. 29)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Juveniles: ward, dependent, and nonminor dependent parents. Current law authorizes a social worker, in lieu of filing a petition or subsequent to dismissal of a petition already filed, and with the consent of the child's parent or guardian, to undertake a program of supervision of the child. If the parent is a dependent of the juvenile court at the time that a social worker seeks to undertake a program of supervision, and if counsel has been appointed for the parent, current law prohibits the program of supervision from being undertaken until the parent has consulted with his or her counsel. This bill would make this prohibition applicable to a parent who is a nonminor dependent or ward of the juvenile court.

[AB 1375](#)

[Dababneh](#) D (Dist. 45)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Foster care: placements: database. Current law generally provides for the placement of foster youth, and provides for the licensure and regulation by the State Department of Social Services of specified facilities that provide care for foster youth, including foster family agencies and short-term residential therapeutic programs. This bill would require specified placement settings that provide care to dependent children and youth, nonminor dependents, and wards, and other appropriate placements identified by the department, to provide to the department a daily census of available beds and a comprehensive listing of the services provided by the placement setting, as specified.

[AB 1440](#)

[Kalra](#) D (Dist. 27)

Location: ASSEMBLY ENROLLED

Peace officers. Under current law, federal criminal investigators and law enforcement officers are not California peace officers, but are authorized to exercise the powers of arrest of a peace officer in this state under specified circumstances, including when probable cause exists to believe that a public offense that involves immediate danger to persons or property has just occurred or is being committed. This bill would specify that United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement officers and United States Customs and Border Protection officers are not California peace officers.

[AB 1446](#)

[Cooley](#) D (Dist. 8)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Dependent children: periodic review hearing. Would require, in any case in which a dependent child or nonminor dependent is detained or placed for more than 15 consecutive calendar days in emergency shelter care, a temporary shelter care facility, or a transitional shelter care facility, as defined, or is inappropriately residing in a place that is not a licensed or approved shelter, home, or facility, the court to periodically review the action taken by the social worker to locate a placement consistent with the case plan for the dependent child or nonminor dependent. The bill would require these periodic reviews to be conducted at least every 15 days and to include review of efforts made by the social worker to identify and locate adult relatives of the child or nonminor dependent, as specified.

[AB 1520](#)

[Burke](#) D (Dist. 62)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Lifting Children and Families Out of Poverty Task Force. This bill would establish the Lifting Children and Families Out of Poverty Task Force, consisting of specified stakeholders, the purpose of developing, recommending, and annually updating a plan aimed at addressing deep child poverty and providing recommendations on how to reduce child poverty in California



AB 1604

Nazarian D (Dist. 46)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

CalWORKs: welfare-to-work: education. Would provide that if the county determines that a CalWORKs recipient has not received his or her high school diploma or its equivalent, the recipient may participate in a high school equivalency program in order to complete a high school equivalency test recognized by the State Department of Education, and would make a related conforming change.

AB 1682

Burke D (Dist. 62)

Location: SENATE APPR.

State government: Department of Justice: Children's Justice Fund. Would create in the State Treasury the Children's Justice Fund for the deposit of penalty moneys that are recovered pursuant to any action or settlement of a claim brought by the Bureau of Children's Justice. Subject to appropriation by the Legislature, the bill would require those moneys to be expended by the bureau for specified purposes.

ACR 34

Baker R (Dist. 16)

Location: ASSEMBLY CHAPTERED

Child Abuse Prevention Month. This measure would acknowledge the month of April 2017 as Child Abuse Prevention Month and encourage the people of the State of California to work together to support youth-serving child abuse prevention activities in their communities and schools.

AJR 8

Kalra D (Dist. 27)

Location: ASSEMBLY CHAPTERED

Public social services: Social Security, Medicare, and Medicaid. This measure would call on California's Representatives in Congress to vote against cuts to, and proposals to privatize, Social Security, Medicare, and Medicaid, and would call on the President of the United States to veto any legislation to cut or privatize these programs.

SB 12

Beall D (Dist. 15)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Foster youth: postsecondary education: financial aid assistance. Would require the Student Aid Commission to work cooperatively with the State Department of Social Services to develop an automated system to verify a student's status as a foster youth to aid in the processing of applications for federal financial aid. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

SB 89

Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review

Location: SENATE CHAPTERED

Human services. Current law requires the Department of Community Services and Development to develop and administer the Energy Efficiency Low-Income Weatherization Program and expend moneys appropriated by the Legislature for the purposes of the program. This bill would require the department, for any appropriation to the department for the Energy Efficiency Low-Income Weatherization Program in the 2017–18 fiscal year, or any fiscal year thereafter, in its contract procurement processes for single-family energy efficiency and renewable energy services, to develop new program processes and solicitations, as specified.

SB 171

Hernandez D (Dist. 22)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Medi-Cal: Medi-Cal managed care plans. Current state law establishes hearing procedures for an applicant for or beneficiary of Medi-Cal who is dissatisfied with certain actions regarding health care services and medical assistance to request a hearing from the State Department of Social Services under specified circumstances, and requires a request for a hearing to be filed within 90 days after the order or action complained of. This bill would implement various provisions in regard to those federal regulations, as amended May 6, 2016, governing Medicaid managed care plans.

SB 220

Pan D (Dist. 6)

Location: ASSEMBLY THIRD READING

Medi-Cal Children's Health Advisory Panel. Current law establishes the Medi-Cal Children's Health Advisory Panel for the purpose of advising the Department of Health Care Services on matters relevant to all children enrolled in Medi-Cal and their families. Current law requires the department to pay a per-



meeting stipend to each advisory panel member who is a Medi-Cal enrollee or parent of a Medi-Cal enrollee. This bill would revise the qualification criteria for the 3 panel positions filled by parent members described above to instead fill those positions with 3 members who are either Medi-Cal enrollees who have received Medi-Cal benefits or services in relation to a pregnancy, or who are a parent, foster parent, relative caregiver, or legal guardian of a Medi-Cal enrollee who is 21 years of age or younger.

[SB 232](#)

[Bates](#) R (Dist. 36)

Location: SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Parental Empowerment Pilot Project. Would require the State Department of Social Services, in consultation with the County Welfare Directors Association of California, no later than July 1, 2018, to design and implement a 5-year pilot project under which monetary grants are provided to organizations operating programs that assist individuals receiving CalWORKs benefits achieve economic independence.

[SB 245](#)

[Leyva](#) D (Dist. 20)

Location: ASSEMBLY HUM. S.

Foster youth: sexual health education. Current law requires a county social worker to create a case plan for foster youth within a specified timeframe after the child is introduced into the foster care system. This bill would require, for youth in foster care 10 years of age and older and for nonminor dependents who are enrolled in high school, the case plan to be updated yearly to indicate that the case management worker has verified that the youth has received comprehensive sexual health education, as specified.

[SB 278](#)

[Wiener](#) D (Dist. 11)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

CalFresh: overissuance. Current law requires each county human services agency to carry out the local administrative responsibilities of CalFresh, subject to the supervision of the State Department of Social Services and to rules and regulations adopted by the department. This bill would require the department, by January 1, 2019, to finalize an analysis and determine whether it has adequate information to set a minimum statewide cost-effective threshold for collecting overissuances that are greater than \$125, and, if it has adequate information, to include that greater threshold in the state's claims management plan that is submitted for approval to the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), Food and Nutrition Service (FNS).

[SB 282](#)

[Wiener](#) D (Dist. 11)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

CalFresh and CalWORKs. 3) Existing law requires each county to provide cash assistance and other social services to needy families through the California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) program using federal Temporary Assistance to Needy Families block grant program, state, and county funds. Existing law generally requires a recipient of CalWORKs benefits to participate in welfare-to-work activities as a condition of eligibility for aid. Existing law requires that necessary supportive services be available to participants in welfare-to-work activities, including child care. Existing law declares the intent of the Legislature that the annual Budget Act appropriate state and federal funds in a single allocation to counties for the support of administrative activities undertaken by the counties to provide benefit payments to recipients of aid under the CalWORKs program and to provide required work activities and support services. This bill would authorize a county to provide employment services to a noncustodial parent from its single allocation funds. (4) Existing law requires the State Department of Social Services to develop an allocation methodology to distribute additional funding for expanded subsidized employment programs for CalWORKs recipients, or recipients who have exceeded the 48-month time limit, and authorizes the allocated funds to be utilized to cover all expenditures related to the operational costs of the program. This bill would authorize a county to use existing funds provided under these provisions to provide employment services for noncustodial parents of children receiving benefits under the CalWORKs program.

[SB 380](#)

[Bradford](#) D (Dist. 35)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

CalWORKs: child support. For purposes of determining eligibility under the CalWORKs program, and for computing the amount of aid payment, current law requires that families be grouped into assistance units, as specified. Current law requires an assistance unit to include the eligible parents of the eligible child and the eligible siblings of the eligible child when those persons reside in the same home as the eligible child, except as specified. This bill would exclude from the assistance unit a stepsibling, as defined, of an eligible child in the assistance unit, for whom an adult in the assistance unit receives a payment of child support



when an adult in the assistance unit has requested in writing that the child not be included in the assistance unit.

[SB 426](#)

[Pan D \(Dist. 6\)](#)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Community-based home visitation pilot program. Would, only until January 1, 2025, establish the Community-Based Home Visitation Program as a pilot program in no more than 3 counties in the state to provide child abuse and neglect prevention and intervention services to families through one family resource center located in each county. The bill would make the implementation of the pilot program subject to appropriation by the Legislature. The bill would require the Office of Child Abuse Prevention of the State Department of Social Services to administer the program, as specified, and would establish various criteria for the selection of the family resource centers through an application process.

[SB 469](#)

[Skinner D \(Dist. 9\)](#)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Child support guidelines: low-income adjustments. Current law establishes a rebuttable presumption that an obligor with a net disposable income, as defined, of a specified amount per month is entitled to a low-income adjustment to his or her child support obligation. Until January 1, 2018, the net disposable income threshold is \$1,500 per month, and is requested to be adjusted annually for cost-of-living increases. Current law requires the Judicial Council to determine the adjustment amount based on the change in the annual California Consumer Price Index, as specified. Effective January 1, 2018, the net disposable income threshold is \$1,000 per month and is not requested to be annually adjusted for cost-of-living increases. This bill would extend the January 1, 2018, date of repeal to January 1, 2021, for the version of existing law that is currently operative, thereby maintaining the net disposable income threshold at \$1,500 per month, adjusted annually for cost-of-living increases, until January 1, 2021, and would repeal the successor version of that law that becomes operative on January 1, 2018.

[SB 562](#)

[Lara D \(Dist. 33\)](#)

Location: ASSEMBLY DESK

The Healthy California Act. Current law provides for the Medi-Cal program, which is administered by the State Department of Health Care Services, under which qualified low-income individuals receive health care services. The Medi-Cal program is, in part, governed and funded by federal Medicaid program provisions. This bill, the Healthy California Act, would create the Healthy California program to provide comprehensive universal single-payer health care coverage and a health care cost control system for the benefit of all residents of the state.

[SB 570](#)

[Newman D \(Dist. 29\)](#)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

CalWORKs. Would exempt benefits and related allowances received through the United States Department of Veterans Affairs for education, training, vocation, or rehabilitation from consideration as income for purposes of determining eligibility for CalWORKs program benefits and calculating grant amounts for veterans and their spouses and dependents, under specified circumstances. By imposing additional duties on counties, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program.

[SB 612](#)

[Mitchell D \(Dist. 30\)](#)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Foster care: transitional housing. Would revise and recast specified described provisions, by among other things, redefining "transitional housing placement provider" to mean an organization licensed by the department to provide transitional housing to foster children at least 16 years of age to promote their transition to adulthood. The bill would authorize transitional housing placement providers to operate either a "Transitional Housing Placement program for minor foster children," a program serving foster children at least 16 years of age and not more than 18 years of age, or a "Transitional Housing Placement program for nonminor dependents," a program serving nonminor dependents at least 18 years of age and not more than 21 years of age.

[SB 684](#)

[Bates R \(Dist. 36\)](#)

Location: ASSEMBLY CONSENT CALENDAR

Incompetence to stand trial: conservatorship: treatment. Current law allows a mentally incompetent defendant to be committed to the State Department of State Hospitals or other public or private treatment



facility. If the defendant is gravely disabled upon his or her return to the committing court, current law requires the court to order the conservatorship investigator of the county to initiate conservatorship proceedings on the basis that the indictment or information pending against the person charges a felony involving death, great bodily harm, or a serious threat to the physical well-being of another person. This bill would also allow the initiation of conservatorship proceedings on the basis that person is gravely disabled due to a condition in which the person, as a result of a mental health disorder, is unable to provide for his or her basic personal needs for food, clothing, or shelter.

[SCR 15](#)

[Gaines](#) R (Dist. 1)

Location: ASSEMBLY RLS.

Human Trafficking Awareness Month. This measure would proclaim the month of January 2017 as Human Trafficking Awareness Month, and encourage certain activities with regard to honoring that month, as specified.

[SR 21](#)

[Skinner](#) D (Dist. 9)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Relative to World Day of the Fight Against Sexual Exploitation. Would resolve that the Senate condemns trafficking in persons, especially women and children, which constitutes an offense and a serious threat to human dignity and physical integrity, human rights, and development, and hereby recognizes March 4, 2017, as World Day of the Fight Against Sexual Exploitation.

Health Care

[AB 251](#)

[Bonta](#) D (Dist. 18)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Health and care facilities: dialysis clinics. Would, for each fiscal year starting on or after January 1, 2019, require a chronic dialysis clinic to submit a report to the State Department of Public Health detailing the total treatment revenue of the clinic, and the percentages of that total treatment revenue the clinic has expended on direct patient care services costs, health care quality improvements costs, federal and state taxes, facility license fees, and all other costs.

[SR 26](#)

[Hernandez](#) D (Dist. 22)

Location: SENATE ADOPTED

Relative to the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act. Would resolve that the Senate affirms its strong support for the Affordable Care Act and calls upon the United States Congress to reject any effort to repeal the Affordable Care Act unless it is simultaneously replaced with an alternative program that meets the standards clearly and consistently articulated by President Trump: that not one American will lose coverage and that coverage will be more affordable and of higher quality for all Americans. The Senate urges Congress to not jeopardize the health of millions of Americans by pushing through irresponsible policy in late-night hearings, but instead allow for comprehensive public review, including evaluations by the Congressional Budget Office and relevant policy committees, so that Americans have the opportunity to offer input and have their concerns heard.

Homelessness

[AB 210](#)

[Santiago](#) D (Dist. 53)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Homeless multidisciplinary personnel team. Current law authorizes counties to establish a child abuse multidisciplinary personnel team, as defined, to allow provider agencies to share confidential information in order to investigate reports of suspected child abuse or neglect or for the purpose of child welfare agencies making detention determinations, as specified. This bill would authorize counties to also establish a homeless adult, child, and family multidisciplinary personnel team, as defined, with the goal of facilitating the expedited identification, assessment, and linkage of homeless individuals to housing and supportive services within that county to allow provider agencies to share confidential information, as specified, for the purpose of coordinating housing and supportive services to ensure continuity of care.

Position: San Bernardino County Support



[AB 236](#)

[Maienschein](#) R (Dist. 77)

Location: SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

CalWORKs: housing assistance. As part of the CalWORKs program, a homeless family that has used all available liquid resources in excess of \$100 is eligible for homeless assistance benefits to pay the costs of temporary shelter if the family is eligible for aid under the CalWORKs program. This bill would also provide that homeless assistance is available to homeless families that would be eligible for aid under the CalWORKs program but for the fact that the only child or children in the family are in out-of-home placement pursuant to an order of the dependency court, if the family is receiving reunification services and the county determines that homeless assistance is necessary for reunification to occur.

Position: San Bernardino County Support

[AB 824](#)

[Lackey](#) R (Dist. 36)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Transitional Housing for Homeless Youth Grant Program. Would establish the Transitional Housing for Homeless Youth Grant Program to be administered by the Office of Emergency Services to award grants to qualified nonprofit entities to provide transitional living services, such as long-term residential services, access to resources, and counseling services, to homeless youth ages 18 to 24 years of age, inclusive, for a period of up to 36 months. The bill would require the office, in consultation with specified stakeholders, to establish minimum standards and procedures for awarding the grant moneys.

[AB 1406](#)

[Gloria](#) D (Dist. 78)

Location: SENATE T. & H.

Homeless Youth Housing Program. Would establish the Homeless Youth Housing Program to, upon appropriation of funds by the Legislature, award grants to up to 10 recipients, as defined, that demonstrate the ability to contract with service providers capable of providing housing assistance and supportive services to homeless youth with the goal of transitioning youth towards self-sufficiency.

Position: San Bernardino County Support

Housing

[AB 53](#)

[Steinorth](#) R (Dist. 40)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Personal income taxes: deduction: homeownership savings accounts. Would, upon appropriation of specified funds by the Legislature, for taxable years beginning on and after January 1, 2017, and before January 1, 2019, would allow a deduction, not to exceed specified amounts, of the amount a qualified taxpayer, as defined, contributed in any taxable year to a homeownership savings account and would exclude from gross income any income earned on the moneys contributed to a homeownership savings account. The bill would provide that a qualified taxpayer may withdraw amounts from a homeownership savings account to pay for qualified homeownership savings expenses, defined as expenses paid or incurred in connection with the purchase of a principal residence in this state.

Position: San Bernardino County Support

[AB 56](#)

[Holden](#) D (Dist. 41)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

California Infrastructure and Economic Development Bank: housing. Would revise the definition of the term "public development facilities" for purposes of the Bergeson-Peace Infrastructure and Economic Development Bank Act to mean real and personal property, structures, conveyances, equipment, thoroughfares, buildings, and supporting components thereof, excluding any housing, that are directly related to providing, among other things, housing-related infrastructure, which includes city streets; drainage, water supply, and flood control; environmental mitigation measures; power and communications; public transit improvement that directly supports transit-oriented housing; sewage collection and treatment; and water treatment and distribution.

[AB 62](#)

[Wood](#) D (Dist. 2)

Location: SENATE T. & H.

Public housing: smoke-free policy. Would require all public housing agencies, as defined, to implement a policy prohibiting the smoking of tobacco products, as defined, in all public housing living units, interior areas, and outdoor areas within 25 feet of public housing and administrative buildings, except in designated



smoking areas, by July 30, 2018. The bill would exempt dwelling units in a mixed-finance project from these provisions. The bill would encourage those public housing agencies to adopt a graduated enforcement framework for their smoke-free policies, as specified.

[AB 71](#)

[Chiu](#) D (Dist. 17)

Location: ASSEMBLY THIRD READING

Income taxes: credits: low-income housing: farmworker housing. Would, under the law governing the taxation of insurers, the Personal Income Tax Law, and the Corporation Tax Law, for calendar years beginning in 2018, would increase the aggregate housing credit dollar amount that may be allocated among low-income housing projects by an additional \$300,000,000, as specified, and would allocate to farmworker housing projects \$25,000,000 per year of that amount.

[AB 72](#)

[Santiago](#) D (Dist. 53)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Housing. Current law prescribes requirements for the preparation of the housing element, including a requirement that a planning agency submit a draft of the element or draft amendment to the element to the Department of Housing and Community Development prior to the adoption of the element or amendment to the element. Current law requires the department to review the draft and report its written findings, as specified. This bill would require the department to also review any action or failure to act by the city, county, or city and county that it determines is inconsistent with an adopted housing element or a specified provision and to issue written findings, as specified, whether the action or failure to act substantially complies with the housing element.

[AB 73](#)

[Chiu](#) D (Dist. 17)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Planning and zoning: housing sustainability districts. Would authorize a city, county, or city and county, including a charter city, charter county, or charter city and county, to establish by ordinance a housing sustainability district that meets specified requirements, including authorizing residential use within the district through the ministerial issuance of a permit. The bill would authorize the city, county, or city and county to apply to the Department of Housing and Community Development for approval for a zoning incentive payment and require the city, county, or city and county to provide specified information about the proposed housing sustainability district ordinance.

[AB 74](#)

[Chiu](#) D (Dist. 17)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Housing. Would require Department of Housing and Community Development to, on or before October 1, 2018, establish the Housing for a Healthy California Program and on or before April 1, 2019, and every year thereafter, subject to on appropriation by the Legislature, award grants on a competitive basis to eligible grant applicants based on guidelines that HCD would draft, as prescribed, and other requirements. The bill would provide that an applicant is eligible for a grant under the program if the applicant meets specified requirements. This bill contains other related provisions.

Position: San Bernardino County Support

[AB 346](#)

[Daly](#) D (Dist. 69)

Location: ASSEMBLY CHAPTERED

Redevelopment: housing successor: Low and Moderate Income Housing Asset Fund. Current law requires the housing successor to expend funds received from the successor agency to meet its enforceable obligations, and for specified administrative and monitoring costs relating to ensuring the long-term affordability of units subject to affordability restrictions. The housing successor may then expend a specified amount per fiscal year for homeless prevention and rapid rehousing services, including specified types of services described in that provision, and must use all funds remaining thereafter for the development of affordable housing, as specified. This bill would expand the specified types of services included within permissible homeless prevention and rapid rehousing services to include contributions toward the construction of local or regional homeless shelters.

[AB 571](#)

[Garcia, Eduardo](#) D (Dist. 56)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Farmworker housing: income taxes: insurance tax: credits: low-income housing: migrant farm labor centers. Would, under the law governing the taxation of insurers, the Personal Income Tax Law, and the



Corporation Tax Law, modify the definition of applicable percentage relating to qualified low-income buildings that are farmworker housing projects, as provided. The bill would authorize the California Tax Credit Allocation Committee to allocate the farmworker housing credit even if the taxpayer receives federal credits for buildings located in designated difficult development areas or qualified census tracts. The bill would also redefine farmworker housing to mean housing in which at least 50% of the units are available to, and occupied by, farmworkers and their households. The bill would make the aforementioned provisions operative on January 1, 2018.

[AB 686](#)

[Santiago](#) D (Dist. 53)

Location: SENATE T. & H.

Housing discrimination: affirmatively further fair housing. Would require a public agency to administer its programs and activities relating to housing and community development in a manner to affirmatively further fair housing, and to not take any action that is inconsistent with this obligation. The bill would make it unlawful under the California Fair Employment and Housing Act for a public agency to fail to meet its obligation to affirmatively further fair housing, and would provide that failure would constitute housing discrimination under the act. The bill would authorize the Director of Fair Employment and Housing to exercise discretion to investigate, or to bring a civil action, based on a verified complaint that alleges a violation of these provisions.

[AB 727](#)

[Nazarian](#) D (Dist. 46)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Mental Health Services Act: housing assistance. Current law specifies the manner in which counties are to use the funds distributed from the Mental Health Services Fund, including using the majority of the funds for services provided by county mental health programs. Current law specifies a target population for these programs, including seriously emotionally disturbed children or adolescents and adults or older adults who have a serious mental disorder. This bill would clarify that counties may spend MHSA moneys on housing assistance, as defined, for people in the target population.

[AB 863](#)

[Cervantes](#) D (Dist. 60)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Affordable Housing and Sustainable Communities Program. Current law continuously appropriates specified portions of the annual proceeds in the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund to various programs, including 20% for the Affordable Housing and Sustainable Communities Program administered by the Strategic Growth Council. Current law provides for that program to fund projects that implement land use, housing, transportation, and agricultural land preservation practices to support infill and compact development and that support other related and coordinated public policy objectives. This bill would provide that a project receiving funding pursuant to the program shall be encouraged, among other things, to employ local entrepreneurs and workers utilizing appropriate workforce training programs. The bill would make related revisions to the policy objectives for the program.

[AB 879](#)

[Grayson](#) D (Dist. 14)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Planning and zoning: housing element. The Planning and Zoning Law requires, after the legislative body of the city or county has adopted all or part of a general plan, the planning agency to investigate and make recommendations to the legislative body of the city or county regarding reasonable and practical means to implement the general plan or element and to provide by April 1 of each year an annual report to the legislative body, the Office of Planning and Research, and the Department of Housing and Community Development that includes specified information pertaining to the implementation of the general plan. Current law excludes a charter city from these requirements. This bill would require that this report additionally include the number of housing development applications received in the prior year, units included in all development applications in the prior year, units approved and disapproved in the prior year, and a listing of sites rezoned to accommodate that portion of the city's or county's share of the regional housing need for each income level that could not be accommodated on specified sites.

[AB 1086](#)

[Daly](#) D (Dist. 69)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Housing: regional housing needs. The Planning and Zoning Law requires the housing element, in turn, to include, among other things, an assessment of housing needs and an inventory of resources and constraints relevant to the meeting of those needs. That law further requires the Department of Housing and



Community Development, for the 4th and subsequent revisions of the housing element, to determine the existing and projected need for housing for each region, based upon population projections produced by the Department of Finance and regional population forecasts used in preparing regional transportation plans, in consultation with each council of governments. Current law includes a declaration of legislative intent regarding the allocation of regional housing need. This bill would make additional findings regarding the relationship between the shortage of housing and the state's environmental policies.

[AB 1137](#)

[Maienschein](#) R (Dist. 77)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Housing developments: pet permissibility. Would require the Department of Housing and Community Development to require each housing development, as defined, that is financed on or after January 1, 2018, pursuant to various provisions of existing law, to authorize a resident of the housing development to own or otherwise maintain one or more common household pets, as defined, within the resident's dwelling unit, subject to applicable state laws, a pet-friendly housing regulation adopted by the department, and local government ordinances related to public health, animal control, and animal anticruelty.

[AB 1423](#)

[Chiu](#) D (Dist. 17)

Location: SENATE RLS.

Housing: annual reports: charter cities. Current law requires the planning agency of a city or county, after the adoption of a general plan, to investigate and make recommendations to the legislative body of the city or county regarding reasonable and practical means for implementing the general plan or element of the general plan and to provide by April 1 of each year an annual report to the legislative body, the Office of Planning and Research, and the Department of Housing and Community Development that includes, among other things, the status of the plan and progress in its implementation and the progress in meeting its share of regional housing needs, as specified, and local efforts to remove governmental constraints to the maintenance, improvement, and development of housing, as specified. This bill would apply the above report requirement to charter cities.

[AB 1598](#)

[Mullin](#) D (Dist. 22)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Affordable housing authorities. Would authorize a city, county, or city and county to adopt a resolution creating an affordable housing authority with power limited to providing low- and moderate-income housing and affordable workforce housing, as defined, funded through a low- and moderate-income housing fund, as specified. The bill would prohibit certain local government entities from participating in the authority. The bill would authorize an authority created pursuant to those provisions to have boundaries that are identical to the boundaries of the city, county, or city and county that created the authority.

[AB 1637](#)

[Gloria](#) D (Dist. 78)

Location: SENATE T. & H.

Local housing authority: middle-income housing projects. The Housing Authorities Law authorizes a housing authority of a city or county to, among other things, prepare, carry out, acquire, lease, and operate housing projects and housing developments for persons of low income, as provided. That law grants powers to an authority relating to, among other things, the issuance of bonds. This bill would make findings and declarations relating to affordable housing. The bill would authorize an authority to develop and finance a middle-income housing project, as defined, if the project receives gap financing, as defined. The bill would prohibit financial or other assistance from any public or private source, as specified, from being used to provide gap financing to units that will be occupied at market-rate rents.

[AB 1670](#)

[Gomez](#) D (Dist. 51)

Location: ASSEMBLY REV. & TAX

Income taxes: credits: qualified developer: affordable housing. The Personal Income Tax Law and the Corporation Tax Law allow various credits against the taxes imposed by those laws. This bill would allow a credit against those taxes for each taxable year beginning on or after January 1, 2017, and before January 1, 2022, in an amount equal to 50% of the amount paid or incurred by a taxpayer to a qualified developer during the taxable year for the development of a qualified project, as defined, not to exceed \$250,000.



[AB 1714](#)

Committee on Housing and Community Development

Location: SENATE APPR.

Income taxes: credits: low-income housing: farmworker housing: building standards: housing and home finance. Would, under the law governing the taxation of insurers, the Personal Income Tax Law, and the Corporation Tax Law, modify specified criteria necessary for an existing property to qualify as being "at risk of conversion" by expanding the eligible government assistance programs to include an additional federal program and also receiving state loans or grants through programs administered by the Department of Housing and Community Development.

[ACA 11](#)

[Caballero](#) D (Dist. 30)

Location: ASSEMBLY H. & C.D.

California Middle Class Affordable Housing and Homeless Shelter: funding. Would create the California Middle Class Affordable Housing and Homeless Shelter Account in the General Fund for the support of local and state programs that assist in the development or acquisition of housing, as specified. The measure would impose a tax upon all retailers at the rate of 0.25% of the gross receipts of any retailer from the sale of all tangible personal property sold at retail in this state on and after January 1, 2019.

[SB 2](#)

[Atkins](#) D (Dist. 39)

Location: ASSEMBLY RLS.

Building Homes and Jobs Act. Would enact the Building Homes and Jobs Act. The bill would make legislative findings and declarations relating to the need for establishing permanent, ongoing sources of funding dedicated to affordable housing development. The bill would impose a fee, except as provided, of \$75 to be paid at the time of the recording of every real estate instrument, paper, or notice required or permitted by law to be recorded, per each single transaction per single parcel of real property, not to exceed \$225.

[SB 3](#)

[Beall](#) D (Dist. 15)

Location: ASSEMBLY RLS.

Affordable Housing Bond Act of 2018. Would enact the Affordable Housing Bond Act of 2018, which, if adopted, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$3,000,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law. Proceeds from the sale of these bonds would be used to finance various existing housing programs, as well as infill infrastructure financing and affordable housing matching grant programs, as provided.

[SB 35](#)

[Wiener](#) D (Dist. 11)

Location: ASSEMBLY RLS.

Planning and zoning: affordable housing: streamlined approval process. The Planning and Zoning Law requires a planning agency, after a legislative body has adopted all or part of a general plan, to provide an annual report to the legislative body, the Office of Planning and Research, and the Department of Housing and Community Development on the status of the general plan and progress in meeting the community's share of regional housing needs. Current law requires the housing element portion of the annual report to be prepared through the use of forms and definitions adopted by the department pursuant to the Administrative Procedure Act. This bill would require the housing element portion of the annual report to be prepared through the use of standards, forms, and definitions adopted by the department.

[SB 46](#)

[Leyva](#) D (Dist. 20)

Location: ASSEMBLY H. & C.D.

Mobilehomes: enforcement actions: sunset provision. The Mobilehome Parks Act requires the Department of Housing and Community Development or a city, county, or city and county that assumes responsibility for the enforcement of the act to enter and inspect mobilehome parks with a goal of inspecting at least 5% of the parks each year to ensure enforcement of the act and implementing regulations. Current law also requires an enforcement agency to issue notice to correct a violation and provides for procedures for owners or operators to dispute and appeal violation notices, as specified. Existing law repeals these provisions on January 1, 2019. A violation of these provisions is a misdemeanor. This bill would remove the repeal date of January 1, 2019, and would extend these provisions indefinitely.



[SB 62](#)

[Jackson](#) D (Dist. 19)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Affordable Senior Housing Act of 2017. Would enact the Affordable Senior Housing Act of 2017, which would establish the Affordable Senior Housing Program within GO-Biz, as part of the Economic Revitalization Act. The bill would declare that the purpose of this program is to guide and serve as a catalyst for the development of affordable senior housing dwelling units within this state and would require the director of GO-Biz to undertake various actions in implementing this program.

[SB 136](#)

[Leyva](#) D (Dist. 20)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Mobilehome parks: mobilehome park program funding. Would authorize the Department of Housing and Community Development to contract directly with nonprofit corporations that have significant experience working with mobilehome park residents, or acquiring, rehabilitating, and preserving affordable housing, and have statewide or regional capacity to deliver technical assistance to mobilehome park residents or community-based nonprofit corporations in order to assist them in acquiring, financing, operating, and improving mobilehome parks occupied by low- and moderate-income households. The bill would authorize moneys in the fund to be used for grants to provide these services.

[SB 167](#)

[Skinner](#) D (Dist. 9)

Location: ASSEMBLY RLS.

Housing Accountability Act. The Housing Accountability Act, among other things, prohibits a local agency from disapproving, or conditioning approval in a manner than renders infeasible, a housing development project for very low, low-, or moderate-income households or an emergency shelter unless the local agency makes specified written findings based upon substantial evidence in the record. This bill would require the findings of the local agency to instead be based on a preponderance of the evidence in the record.

[SB 540](#)

[Roth](#) D (Dist. 31)

Location: ASSEMBLY RLS.

Workforce Housing Opportunity Zone. Would authorize a local government, as defined, to establish a Workforce Housing Opportunity Zone by preparing an EIR pursuant to CEQA and adopting a specific plan that is required to include text and a diagram or diagrams containing specified information. The bill would require a local government that proposes to adopt a Workforce Housing Opportunity Zone to hold public hearings on the specific plan. The bill would authorize a local government, after a specific plan is adopted and the zone is formed, to impose a specific plan fee upon all persons seeking governmental approvals within the zone.

[SB 542](#)

[Leyva](#) D (Dist. 20)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Manufactured Housing Act of 1980: notice of transfer and release of liability. Current law prohibits transfer of title of a registered manufactured home, mobilehome, commercial coach, truck camper, or floating home until the transferor has properly endorsed and delivered the certificate of title and delivery of the registration card to the transferee. This bill would prohibit an owner, as defined, from being liable for taxes and fees specified in the Manufactured Housing Act of 1980 that accrue after the compliance date if the owner properly endorses and delivers the certificate of title to the transferee and delivers or mails to the Department of Housing and Community Development the completed notice of sale or transfer form developed by the department.

IHSS

[AB 106](#)

[Ting](#) D (Dist. 19)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Public social services: 1991 Realignment Legislation and IHSS Maintenance of Effort and collective bargaining. Would revise and recast provisions relating to 1991 Realignment Legislation and the County IHSS MOE. Among other things, the bill would eliminate the existing County IHSS MOE and instead implement a new costsharing arrangement between the state and counties, as specified. The bill would establish a statewide total County IHSS MOE base for these purposes, as specified, and establish a process for determining each county's share of that amount. The bill would appropriate moneys from the General Fund to offset a portion of IHSS costs incurred by the counties.



[AB 237](#)

[Gonzalez Fletcher](#) D (Dist. 80)

Location: SENATE HUM. S.

In-home supportive services. Current law specifies that providers of in-home supportive services and waiver personal care services have bimonthly payroll periods. This bill would instead specify that a "payroll period" means 2 workweeks.

[SB 90](#)

Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review

Location: SENATE CHAPTERED

Public social services: 1991 Realignment Legislation and IHSS Maintenance of Effort and collective bargaining. Would revise and recast provisions relating to 1991 Realignment Legislation and the County IHSS MOE. Among other things, the bill would eliminate the existing County IHSS MOE and instead implement a new costsharing arrangement between the state and counties, as specified. The bill would establish a statewide total County IHSS MOE base for these purposes, as specified, and establish a process for determining each county's share of that amount. The bill would appropriate moneys from the General Fund to offset a portion of IHSS costs incurred by the counties. The bill would further authorize a portion of those costs to be offset from other related 1991 Realignment funds, as specified.

Immigration

[AB 3](#)

[Bonta](#) D (Dist. 18)

Location: SENATE HUM. S.

Public defenders: legal counsel: immigration consequences: grants. Would require the State Department of Social Services to issue requests for proposal and issue grants to qualified legal services projects or qualified support centers that meet specified requirements, for the provision of legal training, written materials, mentoring, and technical assistance to county offices of the public defender in this state and attorneys contracted by counties to provide indigent criminal defense on issues relating to the immigration consequences of criminal convictions and obtaining relief for prior invalid convictions for noncitizen defendants.

[AB 291](#)

[Chiu](#) D (Dist. 17)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Housing: immigration. The State Bar Act makes it a cause for suspension, disbarment, or other discipline for any member of the State Bar to report suspected immigration status or threaten to report suspected immigration status of a witness or party to a civil or administrative action or his or her family member, as defined, to a federal, state, or local agency because the witness or party exercises or has exercised a right related to his or her employment. This bill would expand that provision to make it a cause for suspension, disbarment, or other discipline for a member of the State Bar to report suspected immigration status or threaten to report suspected immigration status of a witness or party to a civil or administrative action or his or her family member, as defined, to a federal, state, or local agency because the witness or party exercises or has exercised a right related to the hiring of residential real property.

[AB 299](#)

[Calderon](#) D (Dist. 57)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Hiring of real property: immigration or citizenship status. Current law prohibits any city, county, or city and county from compelling a landlord or any agent of the landlord to take any action, as specified, based on the immigration or citizenship status of a tenant, prospective tenant, occupant, or prospective occupant of residential rental property. This bill would revise this prohibition to include a "public entity," which the bill would define to include the state, as defined, a city, county, city and county, district, public authority, public agency, and any other political subdivision or public corporation in the state.

[AB 699](#)

[O'Donnell](#) D (Dist. 70)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Educational equity: immigration and citizenship status. Current law requires the State Department of Education to assess whether local educational agencies have taken certain actions related to educational equity, including adopting a policy that prohibits, and adopting a process for receiving and investigating complaints of, discrimination, harassment, intimidation, and bullying based on those actual or perceived specified characteristics. This bill would expressly include immigration status in the specified characteristics for purposes of those provisions.



[HR 15](#)

[Gomez](#) D (Dist. 51)

Location: ASSEMBLY ADOPTED

Relative to United States immigration policy. Relative to United States immigration policy.

[SB 613](#)

[De León](#) D (Dist. 24)

Location: ASSEMBLY JUD.

Immigration status. Current law requires the Division of Juvenile Justice to cooperate with the United States Bureau of Immigration in arranging for the deportation of all aliens who are committed to it. This bill would repeal that provision. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.

[SJR 1](#)

[Vidak](#) R (Dist. 14)

Location: SENATE JUD.

Immigration. This measure would urge Congress and the President of the United States to work together to create a comprehensive and workable approach to reform the nation's immigration system according to specified principles.

[SR 7](#)

[De León](#) D (Dist. 24)

Location: SENATE ADOPTED

Relative to immigration. Would resolve that the Senate condemns in the strongest terms bigoted, racist, or misinformed descriptions of the immigrant community that serve only to foment hatred and violence. The Senate supports a comprehensive and workable approach to solving our nation's historically broken immigration system. The Senate implores the President-elect and Congress to develop rational immigration policies that recognize the contributions of immigrants to the nation, protects the economy, and are just and humane to immigrant families and children.

[SR 16](#)

[De León](#) D (Dist. 24)

Location: SENATE ADOPTED

Relative to immigration. WHEREAS, President Donald J. Trump signed an executive order on January 27, 2017, that desecrates our American values and panders to fears and nativist instincts that have resulted in some of our nation's most shameful acts. Resolved by the Senate of the State of California, That the Senate condemns this executive order as a discriminatory overreach that illegally targets immigrants based on their national origin and religion, and urges the President of the United States to immediately rescind the executive order.

Land Use

[AB 546](#)

[Chiu](#) D (Dist. 17)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Land use: local ordinances: energy systems. Would, on or before September 30, 2018, for a city, including a charter city, county, or city and county with a population of 200,000 or more residents, or January 31, 2019, for a city, including a charter city, county, or city and county with a population of less than 200,000 residents, require the city, county, or city and county to make all documentation and forms associated with the permitting of advanced energy storage, as defined, available on a publicly accessible Internet Web site, as specified. The bill would require a city, county, or city and county to allow for the electronic submittal of a permit application and associated documentation, except as specified.

[AB 890](#)

[Medina](#) D (Dist. 61)

Location: SENATE GOV. & F.

Land use: planning and zoning: initiatives. Would require that the city council of a city or the board of supervisors of a county have exclusive authority to adopt or amend a general plan, specific plan, zoning ordinance, or any other similar document, that would convert any discretionary land use approval necessary for a project to ministerial approval; change the land use or zoning designation of a parcel or parcels to a more intensive designation; or allow more intensive land uses within an existing land use designation or zoning designation.



AB 1350

Friedman D (Dist. 43)

Location: ASSEMBLY L. GOV.

Land use: housing element: regional housing need: noncompliant cities and counties: penalty. The Planning and Zoning Law requires that assessment to include the city's or county's share of the regional housing need, as determined by the Department of Housing and Community Development in consultation with each council of governments, and requires a council of governments to develop a proposed methodology for distributing the existing and projected regional housing need, as specified. This bill would require a noncompliant city or county, as defined, to pay a penalty, as provided, to the Department of Housing and Community Development.

AB 1397

Low D (Dist. 28)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Local planning: housing element: inventory of land for residential development. The Planning and Zoning Law requires each city, county, and city and county to prepare and adopt a general plan that contains certain mandatory elements, including a housing element. Current law requires the housing element to contain, among other things, an inventory of land suitable for residential development, including vacant sites and sites having the potential for redevelopment. This bill would require the inventory of land to be available for residential development in addition to being suitable for residential development and to include vacant sites and sites that have realistic and demonstrated potential for redevelopment during the planning period to meet the locality's housing need for a designated income level.

AB 1515

Daly D (Dist. 69)

Location: SENATE RLS.

Planning and zoning: housing. Under the the Housing Accountability Act, the local agency may disapprove or condition approval of a housing development project or emergency shelter if, among other reasons, the housing development project or emergency shelter is inconsistent with both the jurisdiction's zoning ordinance and general plan land use designation, as provided. This bill would specify that a housing development project or emergency shelter is deemed consistent, compliant, and in conformity with an applicable plan, program, policy, ordinance, standard, requirement, or other similar provision if there is substantial evidence that would allow a reasonable person to conclude that the housing development project or emergency shelter is consistent, compliant, or in conformity. The bill would make additional findings related to the Housing Accountability Act in this regard.

SB 166

Skinner D (Dist. 9)

Location: ASSEMBLY RLS.

Residential density and affordability. Would prohibit a city, county, or city and county from permitting or causing its inventory of sites identified in a housing element to be insufficient to meet its remaining unmet share of the regional housing need for lower and moderate-income households. The bill also would expand the definition of "lower residential density" if the local jurisdiction has not adopted a housing element for the current planning period or the adopted housing element is not in substantial compliance, as specified.

SB 229

Wieckowski D (Dist. 10)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Accessory dwelling units. The Planning and Zoning Law authorizes the legislative body of a city or county to regulate the intensity of land use, and also authorizes a local agency to provide by ordinance for the creation of accessory dwelling units in single-family and multifamily residential zones, as specified. Current law requires the ordinance to designate areas within the jurisdiction of the local agency where these units may be permitted and impose specified standards on these units. This bill would authorize the ordinance to prohibit the sale or other conveyance of the unit separate from the primary residence. The bill would extend the use of the maximum standards to a proposed accessory dwelling unit on a lot zoned for residential use that includes a proposed single-family dwelling.

SB 277

Bradford D (Dist. 35)

Location: ASSEMBLY THIRD READING

Land use: zoning regulations. The Planning and Zoning Law authorizes the legislative body of any city or county to adopt ordinances regulating zoning within its jurisdiction, as specified. This bill would additionally authorize the legislative body of any city or county to adopt ordinances to require, as a condition of development of residential rental units, that the development include a certain percentage of residential



rental units affordable to, and occupied by, moderate-income, lower income, very low income, or extremely low income households, as specified.

Law and Justice / Courts

[AB 42](#)

[Bonta](#) D (Dist. 18)

Location: ASSEMBLY RECONSIDERATION

Bail: pretrial release. Would state the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to safely reduce the number of people detained pretrial, while addressing racial and economic disparities in the pretrial system, to ensure that people are not held in pretrial detention simply because of their inability to afford money bail. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 149](#)

[Jones-Sawyer](#) D (Dist. 59)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Personal income taxes: Habitat for Humanity Voluntary Tax Contribution Fund. Would allow an individual to designate on his or her tax return that a specified amount in excess of his or her tax liability be transferred to the Habitat for Humanity Voluntary Tax Contribution Fund, which would be created by this bill. The bill would require the fund to meet an annual minimum contribution amount of \$250,000, as specified.

[AB 154](#)

[Levine](#) D (Dist. 10)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Prisoners: mental health treatment. Current law requires a court, upon the conviction of a defendant of a felony resulting in his or her sentencing to state prison, to recommend in writing that the defendant participate in a counseling or education program having a substance abuse component while imprisoned if the court makes certain findings relating to his or her drug use. This bill would require a court, upon the conviction of a defendant for a felony resulting in his or her sentencing to state prison, to recommend in writing that the defendant receive a mental health evaluation if the court finds that the defendant at the time of the commission of the offense was suffering from a serious mental illness or has a demonstrated history of mental illness.

[AB 229](#)

[Baker](#) R (Dist. 16)

Location: SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Human trafficking: vertical prosecution program. Current law establishes the Office of Emergency Services, which is required to, among other things, allocate and award funds to communities developing and providing ongoing citizen involvement and crime resistance programs. This bill would require the office, to the extent funds are available for this purpose and until January 1, 2022, to allocate and award funds to up to 11 district attorney offices that employ a vertical prosecution methodology for the prosecution of human trafficking crimes and that meet other specified criteria, including minimum staffing levels for the program.

[AB 1401](#)

[Maienschein](#) R (Dist. 77)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Juveniles: protective custody warrant. Would authorize the court to issue a protective custody warrant, without filing a petition in the juvenile court alleging that the minor comes within the jurisdiction of the juvenile court as a dependent, if there is probable cause to believe the minor comes within the jurisdiction of the juvenile court as a dependent, there is a substantial danger to the safety or physical health of the child, and there are no reasonable means to protect the child's safety or physical health without removal.

[SB 8](#)

[Beall](#) D (Dist. 15)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Diversion: mental disorders. Would authorize a court, with the consent of the defendant and a waiver of the defendant's speedy trial right, to postpone prosecution of a misdemeanor or a felony punishable in a county jail, and place the defendant in a pretrial diversion program for up to 2 years if the court is satisfied the defendant suffers from a mental disorder, that the defendant's mental disorder played a significant role in the commission of the charged offense, and that the defendant would benefit from mental health treatment.

**[SB 38](#)****[Roth D](#) (Dist. 31)****Location:** SENATE JUD.

Courts: judgeships. Would increase the number of judges in the division of the 4th Appellate District of the Court of Appeal located in the San Bernardino/Riverside area to 8 judges. The bill would appropriate \$1,202,000 from the General Fund to the judicial branch for the purpose of funding the cost of that new appellate court justice and accompanying staff. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[SB 185](#)**[Hertzberg D](#) (Dist. 18)****Location:** ASSEMBLY APPR.

Crimes: infractions. Existing law requires a court, in any case when a person appears before a traffic referee or judge of the superior court for adjudication of a violation of the Vehicle Code, upon request of the defendant, to consider the defendant's ability to pay, as specified. This bill would require the court, in any case involving an infraction filed with the court, to determine whether the defendant is indigent for purposes of determining what portion of the statutory amount of any associated fine, fee, assessment, or other financial penalties the person can afford to pay.

[SB 439](#)**[Mitchell D](#) (Dist. 30)****Location:** ASSEMBLY PUB. S.

Jurisdiction of the juvenile court. Current law places a person who is under 18 years of age when he or she violates any law of this state or of the United States or specified ordinances of any city or county of this state to be within the jurisdiction of the juvenile court. Current law authorizes a juvenile court to adjudge a person under these circumstances to be a ward of the court. This bill would modify the ages that a person must be to fall within the jurisdiction of the juvenile court or adjudged a ward of the court under these circumstances to be between 12 years of age and 17 years of age, inclusive.

[SB 670](#)**[Jackson D](#) (Dist. 19)****Location:** ASSEMBLY DESK

Sentencing: county of incarceration and supervision. Would require, when imposing specified felony sentences concurrent or consecutive to another felony sentence in another county or counties, the court rendering the 2nd or other subsequent judgment to determine the county or counties of incarceration and supervision of the defendant. The bill would additionally require the Judicial Council to adopt rules providing criteria for the consideration of the trial judge when determining the county or counties of incarceration and supervision pursuant to these provisions.

Libraries**[AB 755](#)****[Garcia, Eduardo D](#) (Dist. 56)****Location:** SENATE N.R. & W.

Museums: California Museums for All grant program. Would establish the California Museums for All grant program, under the administration of the endowment, to provide grants, upon appropriation by the Legislature, to museums to support increased access to museums for low-income communities. The bill would require, as a condition of participating in the grant program, that a museum agree to offer free to \$3 admission fees during the museum's normal hours of operation for each person who presents an electronic benefits transfer card and a current and valid photo identification, and up to 3 guests who are accompanying that person.

Position: San Bernardino County Support**[SCA 3](#)****[Dodd D](#) (Dist. 3)****Location:** SENATE THIRD READING

Local government financing: public libraries: voter approval. Would create an additional exception to the 1% limit for a rate imposed by a city, county, city and county, or special district to service bonded indebtedness incurred to fund public library facilities, that is approved by 55% of the voters of the city, county, city and county, or special district, as applicable, if the proposition meets specified requirements. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Parks

[AB 18](#)

[Garcia, Eduardo](#) D (Dist. 56)

Location: SENATE N.R. & W.

California Clean Water, Climate, Coastal Protection, and Outdoor Access For All Act of 2018. Would enact the California Clean Water, Climate, Coastal Protection, and Outdoor Access For All Act of 2018, which, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in an amount of \$3,105,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a clean water, climate, coastal protection, and outdoor access for all program. This bill contains other related provisions.

[AB 1330](#)

[Reyes](#) D (Dist. 47)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Park property: Ayala Park. This bill would authorize the Bloomington Recreation and Park District to dispose of property used for park purposes at Ayala Park that was acquired with the grant moneys from the above acts, subject to the acquisition of property of equal or greater recreation value, as approved by the Department of Parks and Recreation, and at no cost to the state, as provided.

Position: San Bernardino County Sponsor

[AB 1358](#)

[Cooley](#) D (Dist. 8)

Location: SENATE APPR.

State parks: California Admission Day: free admission. Current law requires the Department of Parks and Recreation to administer, protect, develop, and interpret the property under its jurisdiction in the state park system for the use and enjoyment of the public. Current law provides for the department to charge various fees for use of state parks, but requires the department to offer free or reduced-rate admission to eligible persons under certain circumstances. This bill would require the department to grant 50 percent-discounted admission to the general public to each unit of the state park system on September 9, California Admission Day.

[AB 1483](#)

[Daly](#) D (Dist. 69)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Housing-Related Parks Program. Current law requires the Department of Housing and Community Development, to the extent that funds are available, to determine the base grant amount to be provided to any city, county, or city and county that meets specified criteria. Current law establishes the Housing Urban-Suburban-and-Rural Parks Account within the Housing and Emergency Shelter Trust Fund of 2006 to receive funds for the program. This bill would appropriate \$50,000,000 from the General Fund to the Urban-Suburban-and-Rural Parks Account for these purposes.

[SB 5](#)

[De León](#) D (Dist. 24)

Location: ASSEMBLY W.,P. & W.

California Drought, Water, Parks, Climate, Coastal Protection, and Outdoor Access For All Act of 2018. Would enact the California Drought, Water, Parks, Climate, Coastal Protection, and Outdoor Access For All Act of 2018, which, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in an amount of \$3,500,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a drought, water, parks, climate, coastal protection, and outdoor access for all program. This bill contains other related provisions.

[SB 249](#)

[Allen](#) D (Dist. 26)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Off-highway motor vehicle recreation. Would revise and recast various provisions of the Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation Act of 2003. The bill would expand the duties of the Division of Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation. The bill would require the division to take specified measures to protect natural and cultural resources within state vehicular recreation areas, including measures to mitigate harmful impacts to these areas and to protect them from off-highway vehicle recreation use, as specified.

Position: San Bernardino County Support



Public Health

[AB 114](#)

Committee on Budget

Location: ASSEMBLY CHAPTERED

Public health. Current law requests the University of California to establish and administer the Umbilical Cord Blood Collection Program, until January 1, 2018, for the purpose of collecting units of umbilical cord blood for public use, as defined, in transplantation and providing nonclinical units for specified research. This bill would extend the provisions of the program until January 1, 2023.

[AB 166](#)

[Salas](#) D (Dist. 32)

Location: SENATE RLS.

Safe drinking water: household filtration systems: rebate program. Would require the State Water Resources Control Board, in collaboration with specified entities, to conduct a study on the feasibility and financial stability of a rebate program that would provide a household that is served by a water system that does not meet primary drinking water standards with a rebate for the purchase of a household water filtration system. The bill would also require the study to include any recommendations for the Legislature to implement the rebate program. The bill would require the state board to conclude the study no later than January 1, 2019, and to submit a report on the study to the Legislature no later than March 1, 2019.

[AB 186](#)

[Eggman](#) D (Dist. 13)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Controlled substances: safer drug consumption program. Would, until January 1, 2022, authorize specified counties or cities within those counties to authorize the operation of supervised injection services programs for adults that satisfies specified requirements, including, among other things, a hygienic space supervised by health care professionals, as defined, where people who use drugs can consume preobtained drugs, sterile consumption supplies, and access to referrals to substance use disorder treatment. The bill would require any entity operating a program under its provisions to provide an annual report to the city, county, or city and county, as specified.

[AB 247](#)

[Garcia, Cristina](#) D (Dist. 58)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Public health: childhood lead poisoning: Lead Advisory Task Force. Under current law, known as the Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Act of 1991, the State Department of Public Health is required to establish procedures for environmental abatement and followup, and undertake other specified measures, designed to reduce the incidence of excessive childhood lead exposure in California. This bill would require, by April 1, 2018, the Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment to convene a Lead Advisory Task Force, with a prescribed membership, to review and advise, as provided, regarding policies and procedures to reduce childhood lead poisoning in the state.

[AB 823](#)

[Chau](#) D (Dist. 49)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Edible cannabis products: labeling. Would amend the Control, Regulate and Tax Adult Use of Marijuana Act by requiring the universal symbol required to be on edible cannabis product not sold as a liquid, loose bulk good, or powder to meet specified requirements, including that the symbol be placed directly on at least one side of each serving so as to be distinguishable and easily recognizable as well as size and placement requirements. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[SB 212](#)

[Jackson](#) D (Dist. 19)

Location: ASSEMBLY E.S. & T.M.

Medical waste. Current law, the Medical Waste Management Act, administered by the State Department of Public Health, regulates the management and handling of medical waste, as defined. This bill add to the act a definition of "home-generated pharmaceutical waste" as a prescription or over-the-counter human or veterinary home-generated pharmaceutical that is waste and is derived from a household, including, but not limited to, a multifamily residence or household.

[SB 663](#)

[Nielsen](#) R (Dist. 4)

Location: ASSEMBLY THIRD READING

Packages and labels of cannabis or cannabis products: children. Would specify that a package or label of cannabis or cannabis products is deemed to be attractive to children if the package or label has specific



characteristics, including, among others, displaying a name resembling the name of any candy, snack food, baked good, or beverage commercially sold without marijuana. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[SB 794](#)

[Stern](#) D (Dist. 27)

Location: ASSEMBLY HEALTH

Edible marijuana products: labeling and packaging. Would require each single serving of an edible marijuana product to be stamped, marked, or otherwise imprinted directly on the product with a universal symbol that is designed by the Bureau of Marijuana Control. The bill would specify the required size and visibility of the universal symbol. The bill would require edible marijuana products to be sold in packaging that is tamperproof, child resistant, and, if the product contains more than one serving, resealable. AUMA authorizes the Legislature to amend, by a 2/3 vote, certain provisions of the act, provided that the amendments are consistent with, and further the purposes and intent of, the act.

Public Lands

[AB 1077](#)

[O'Donnell](#) D (Dist. 70)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Off-highway vehicles. The Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation Act of 2003 provides for the acquisition, operation, and funding of state off-highway vehicular recreation areas and trails, establishes the Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation Commission and the Division of Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation within the Department of Motor Vehicles, and provides a grant program for, among other things, acquisition, administration, maintenance, and operation of areas and facilities associated with the use of off-highway motor vehicles. These provisions are to be repealed on January 1, 2018. This bill would extend the operation of the act until January 1, 2019, unless a specified report is not received by the Legislature by January 1, 2018, in which case the act would be repealed on July 1, 2018.

Position: San Bernardino County Support

[AB 1358](#)

[Cooley](#) D (Dist. 8)

Location: SENATE APPR.

State parks: California Admission Day: free admission. Current law requires the Department of Parks and Recreation to administer, protect, develop, and interpret the property under its jurisdiction in the state park system for the use and enjoyment of the public. Current law provides for the department to charge various fees for use of state parks, but requires the department to offer free or reduced-rate admission to eligible persons under certain circumstances. This bill would require the department to grant 50 percent-discounted admission to the general public to each unit of the state park system on September 9, California Admission Day.

[SB 50](#)

[Allen](#) D (Dist. 26)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Federal public lands: conveyances. Would establish, except as provided, a policy of the state to discourage conveyances of federal public lands in California from the federal government. The bill would, except as provided, specify that these conveyances are void ab initio unless the State Lands Commission was provided with the right of first refusal or the right to arrange for the transfer of the federal public land to another entity.

Public Safety

[AB 6](#)

[Obernolte](#) R (Dist. 33)

Location: SENATE RLS.

The Financial Information System for California (FISCal) Act: transparency component. Current law, the Financial Information System for California (FISCal) Act, establishes a single integrated financial management system for the state. The act requires the system to include a state transparency component that allows the public to have information regarding General Fund and federal fund expenditure data, using an Internet Web site. This bill would enact the Budget Transparency Act of 2017. The bill would modify the transparency component of the system described above to require it to have information regarding all state expenditures, including the amount, the type, and a description of each state expenditure



[AB 27](#)

[Melendez R](#) (Dist. 67)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Violent felonies: sex offenses. Current law, as amended by Proposition 21, adopted March 7, 2000, and by Proposition 83, adopted November 7, 2006, classifies certain felonies as violent felonies for purposes of various provisions of the Penal Code. This bill would define as violent felonies rape, sodomy, penetration with a foreign object, or oral copulation, if the victim was unconscious, if the victim was incapable of giving consent due to intoxication, if the victim was incapable of giving legal consent because of a mental disorder or developmental or physical disability, if the victim submitted to the act under the belief that the person committing the act was someone known to the victim other than the accused, or if the act was accomplished against the victim's will by threatening to use the authority of a public official for purposes of the specified sentencing enhancements.

[AB 41](#)

[Chiu D](#) (Dist. 17)

Location: SENATE APPR.

DNA evidence. Would require law enforcement agencies to report information regarding rape kit evidence, within 120 days of the collection of the kit, to the Department of Justice through a database established by the department. The bill would require that information to include, among other things, the number of kits collected, if biological evidence samples were submitted to a DNA laboratory for analysis, and if a probative DNA profile was generated.

[AB 67](#)

[Rodriguez D](#) (Dist. 52)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Violent and nonviolent felonies. Would define human sex trafficking as a violent felony and expand the scope of sodomy, oral copulation, sexual penetration, and rape offenses that are categorized as violent felonies, including if the victim was unconscious, if the victim was incapable of giving consent due to intoxication, if the victim was incapable of giving legal consent because of a mental disorder or developmental or physical disability, if the victim submitted to the act under the belief that the person committing the act was someone known to the victim other than the accused, or if the act was accomplished against the victim's will by threatening to use the authority of a public official.

[AB 103](#)

Committee on Budget

Location: ASSEMBLY CHAPTERED

Public safety: omnibus. Would require that whenever a judgment, including any consent judgment, decree, or settlement agreement that has been approved by the court, in a class action provides for the payment of money to members of the class, any unpaid cash residue or unclaimed or abandoned class member funds be distributed in accordance with its provisions, unless the court makes a specific finding. The bill would require the court to set a date when the parties must submit a report to the court regarding a plan for the distribution of these funds.

[AB 154](#)

[Levine D](#) (Dist. 10)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Prisoners: mental health treatment. Current law requires a court, upon the conviction of a defendant of a felony resulting in his or her sentencing to state prison, to recommend in writing that the defendant participate in a counseling or education program having a substance abuse component while imprisoned if the court makes certain findings relating to his or her drug use. This bill would require a court, upon the conviction of a defendant for a felony resulting in his or her sentencing to state prison, to recommend in writing that the defendant receive a mental health evaluation if the court finds that the defendant at the time of the commission of the offense was suffering from a serious mental illness or has a demonstrated history of mental illness.

[AB 197](#)

[Kiley R](#) (Dist. 6)

Location: ASSEMBLY PUB. S.

Violent felonies. Would define as violent felonies child abduction, providing a child under 16 years of age for purposes of a lewd act, abduction of a minor for purposes of prostitution, child abuse, sodomy with a minor, oral copulation of a minor, contact with a minor to commit specified offenses, arranging a meeting with a minor for lewd purposes, employing a minor to produce sexual matter, elder and dependent adult abuse, false imprisonment of an elder or dependent adult, and animal abuse, as specified, thereby



amending Proposition 36 by adding to the list of violent felonies that can be prosecuted as a 3rd strike. By changing the definition of a crime, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program.

[AB 208](#)

[Eggman](#) D (Dist. 13)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Deferred entry of judgment: pretrial diversion. Would make the deferred entry of judgment program a pretrial diversion program. The bill would make a defendant qualified for the pretrial diversion program if there is no evidence of a contemporaneous violation relating to narcotics or restricted dangerous drugs other than a violation of the offense that qualifies him or her for diversion, the charged offense did not involve violence, there is no evidence within the past 5 years of a violation relating to narcotics or restricted dangerous drugs other than a violation that qualifies for the program, and the defendant has no prior conviction for a serious or violent felony within 5 years prior to the alleged commission of the charged offense.

[AB 222](#)

[Bocanegra](#) D (Dist. 39)

Location: SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

False documents. Current law, added by Proposition 187, which was approved by the voters at the November 8, 1994, statewide general election, makes it a felony to manufacture or distribute false documents to conceal the true citizenship or resident alien status of another person. Proposition 187 also makes it a felony for a person to use false documents to conceal his or her true citizenship or resident alien status. The California Constitution authorizes the Legislature to amend an initiative statute by another statute that becomes effective only when approved by the electors. This bill would amend Proposition 187 by repealing the above-referenced crimes.

[AB 255](#)

[Gallagher](#) R (Dist. 3)

Location: ASSEMBLY CHAPTERED

Sexually violent predators: out-of-county placement. Current law generally requires a sexually violent predator who is conditionally released to be placed in the county that was the person's county of domicile prior to the person's incarceration. Current law provides for placement outside of the county of domicile if specified circumstances exist. Current law specifies certain information to be considered in determining the county of domicile. This bill would require the court to consider additional factors when determining the county of placement that is not the county of domicile, including if and how long the person has previously resided or been employed in the county and if the person has next of kin in the county.

Position: San Bernardino County Support

[AB 260](#)

[Santiago](#) D (Dist. 53)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Human trafficking. Current law requires specified businesses and other establishments to post a notice, as specified, that contains information related to slavery and human trafficking, including information related to specified nonprofit organizations that provide services in support of the elimination of slavery and human trafficking. Current law makes a violation of this requirement punishable by a civil penalty. This bill would require hotels, motels, and bed and breakfast inns, as defined, not including personal residences, to post the notice relating to slavery and human trafficking, as specified.

[AB 264](#)

[Low](#) D (Dist. 28)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Protective orders. Under current law, the court is required to consider, at the time of sentencing, issuing a protective order, which may be valid for up to 10 years, in a case in which a defendant has been convicted of a crime of domestic violence or of specified sex offenses, restraining the defendant from any contact with the victim. Under current law, contempt of a court order is a misdemeanor, as specified. This bill would require the court to consider issuing a protective order restraining the defendant from any contact with a percipient witness to a crime involving domestic violence, a violation of specified sex offenses, or a violation of laws relating to criminal gangs, if it is shown by clear and convincing evidence that the witness has been harassed, as specified.

[AB 270](#)

[Gallagher](#) R (Dist. 3)

Location: SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Restraining orders: witness. Would require the court to consider issuing an order restraining a criminal defendant who has been convicted of a crime involving domestic violence from any contact with a minor



who was not a victim of, but who was physically present at the time of, an act of domestic violence. The bill would provide that the minor, under those circumstances, is a witness. The bill would make conforming changes relating to the stated intent of the Legislature.

[AB 284](#)

[McCarty](#) D (Dist. 7)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Department of Justice: officer-involved shootings: report. Would, contingent upon the appropriation of funding by the Legislature, require the Department of Justice to conduct a study of all or a sample of peace officer-involved shootings resulting in death or serious injury that occurred in California between January 1, 2015, and December 31, 2016. The bill would require the department to prepare a written report describing its findings and recommendations and make the report available to the public.

[AB 424](#)

[McCarty](#) D (Dist. 7)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Possession of a firearm in a school zone. Would delete the authority of a school district superintendent, his or her designee, or equivalent school authority to provide written permission for a person to possess a firearm within a school zone. By expanding the scope of a crime, this bill would create a state-mandated local program. This bill would exempt from that crime the activities of a program involving shooting sports or activities that are sanctioned by a school, school district, college, university, or other governing body of the institution, as specified, and the activities of a certified hunter education program, as specified.

[AB 585](#)

[Gipson](#) D (Dist. 64)

Location: ASSEMBLY ENROLLED

Public officers. Current law provides that a sheriff's or police security officer is not a peace officer and may not exercise the powers of arrest of a peace officer, but may issue citations for infractions and may carry or possess a firearm, baton, and other safety equipment and weapons authorized by the sheriff or police chief, as specified. Current law requires each sheriff's or police security officer to satisfactorily complete a specified course of training prior to being assigned to perform his or her duties. This bill would provide, for purposes of those provisions, that a police security officer includes an officer employed by a police division that is within a city department and that operates independently of the city police department commanded by the police chief of a city.

[AB 662](#)

[Choi](#) R (Dist. 68)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Restitution: tracking. Current law establishes a local Community Corrections Partnership (CCP) in each county and requires the CCP to recommend a local plan to the county board of supervisors for the implementation of the 2011 public safety realignment. Current law allows the plan to include recommendations to maximize the effective investment of criminal justice resources in evidence-based correction sanctions and programming, including specifically, among other things, victim restitution programs. This bill would require the collecting agency in the above circumstances to track restitution payments and send monthly notices to the individual responsible for paying restitution and quarterly statements to the victim, if victim contact information is available, detailing the payment status of the restitution order.

[AB 683](#)

[Garcia, Eduardo](#) D (Dist. 56)

Location: ASSEMBLY CHAPTERED

Prisoners: support services. Would authorize the Counties of Alameda, Imperial, Los Angeles, Riverside, San Diego, Santa Clara, and San Joaquin to implement pilot programs to provide reentry services and support to persons who are, or who are scheduled to be, released from a county jail. The bill would require the pilot programs to include specified components, including support services for parents and a mentorship program. The bill would require each county that elects to implement one or more pilot programs pursuant to these provisions to conduct a study and submit to the Legislature on or before January 1, 2023, a report evaluating the effectiveness of the pilot programs in the county.

[AB 748](#)

[Ting](#) D (Dist. 19)

Location: SENATE RLS.

Peace officers: video and audio recordings: disclosure. The California Public Records Act requires that public records, as defined, be available to the public for inspection and made promptly available to any person. Current law makes records of investigations conducted by any state or local police agency exempt



from these requirements. Current law requires specified information regarding the investigation of crimes to be disclosed to the public unless disclosure would endanger the safety of a person involved in an investigation or would endanger the successful completion of the investigation. This bill would, notwithstanding the above provisions, allow a video or audio recording that relates to a matter of public concern because it depicts an incident involving a peace officer's use of force, or is reasonably believed to involve a violation of law or public policy, to be withheld for a maximum of 90 calendar days if disclosure would substantially impede an active investigation.

[AB 878](#)

[Gipson](#) D (Dist. 64)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Juveniles: restraints. Would authorize the use of restraints on a minor during transportation outside of a local secure juvenile facility, camp, ranch, or forestry camp, only upon a determination that restraints are necessary to prevent physical harm to the juvenile or another person or due to a substantial risk of flight. The bill would authorize the use of restraints during a juvenile court proceeding if the court determines that the individual minor's behavior in custody or in court establishes a manifest need to use restraints to prevent physical harm to the juvenile or another person or due to a substantial risk of flight.

[AB 1115](#)

[Jones-Sawyer](#) D (Dist. 59)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Convictions: expungement. Current law authorizes a court to allow a defendant sentenced to county jail for a felony to withdraw his or her plea of guilty or plea of nolo contendere and enter a plea of not guilty, after the lapse of one or 2 years following the defendant's completion of the sentence, as specified with certain requirements. Current law requires the defendant to be released from all penalties and disabilities resulting from the offense of which he or she was convicted, except as specified. This bill would allow a defendant sentenced to state prison for a felony that, if committed after the 2011 Realignment Legislation, would have been eligible for sentencing to a county jail to obtain the above-specified relief.

[SB 10](#)

[Hertzberg](#) D (Dist. 18)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Bail: pretrial release. Would declare the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would safely reduce the number of people detained pretrial, while addressing racial and economic disparities in the pretrial system, and to ensure that people are not held in pretrial detention simply because of their inability to afford money bail. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[SB 21](#)

[Hill](#) D (Dist. 13)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Law enforcement agencies: surveillance: policies. Would, beginning July 1, 2018, require each law enforcement agency, as defined, to submit to its governing body at a regularly scheduled hearing, open to the public, a proposed Surveillance Use Policy for the use of each type of surveillance technology and the information collected, as specified. The bill would require the law enforcement agency to cease using the surveillance technology within 30 days if the proposed plan is not adopted.

[SB 29](#)

[Lara](#) D (Dist. 33)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Law enforcement: immigration. Current law authorizes a county board of supervisors on behalf of its sheriff, and a legislative body of a city on behalf of its chief of police, to contract to provide supplemental law enforcement services to private individuals, private entities, and private corporations in specified circumstances and subject to certain conditions. This bill would, commencing on January 1, 2019, prohibit a city, county, or city and county, or a local law enforcement agency from entering into, renewing, or extending the length of a contract with a private corporation, contractor, or vendor to detain immigrants in civil immigration proceedings for profit.

[SB 54](#)

[De León](#) D (Dist. 24)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Law enforcement: sharing data. Current law provides that when there is reason to believe that a person arrested for a violation of specified controlled substance provisions may not be a citizen of the United States, the arresting agency shall notify the appropriate agency of the United States having charge of deportation matters. This bill would repeal those provisions.



SB 65

Hill D (Dist. 13)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Vehicles: alcohol and marijuana: penalties. Would make drinking an alcoholic beverage or smoking or ingesting marijuana or any marijuana product while driving, or while riding as a passenger in, a motor vehicle being driven upon a highway or upon specified lands punishable as an infraction. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

SB 75

Bates R (Dist. 36)

Location: SENATE PUB. S.

Violent felonies. Current law, as amended by Proposition 21, classifies certain felonies as violent felonies for purposes of various provisions of the Penal Code. Current law generally imposes an additional one-year term for a felony and 3-year term for a violent felony for each prior separate prison term served for a felony or a violent felony, respectively. This bill would additionally define, among other crimes, the offenses of vehicular manslaughter, human trafficking involving a minor, assault with a deadly weapon, solicitation of murder, rape under various specified circumstances, and grand theft of a firearm as violent felonies for purposes of imposing specified sentence enhancements. The bill would also make conforming changes.

SB 87

Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review

Location: ASSEMBLY BUDGET

Public safety: omnibus. Would require that whenever a judgment, including any consent judgment, decree, or settlement agreement that has been approved by the court, in a class action provides for the payment of money to members of the class, any unpaid cash residue or unclaimed or abandoned class member funds be distributed in accordance with its provisions, unless the court makes a specific finding. The bill would require the court to set a date when the parties must submit a report to the court regarding a plan for the distribution of these funds.

SB 204

Dodd D (Dist. 3)

Location: SENATE ENROLLED

Domestic violence: protective orders. Would enact the Uniform Recognition and Enforcement of Canadian Domestic Violence Protection Orders Act, which would authorize the enforcement of a valid Canadian domestic violence protection order in a tribunal of this state under certain conditions. The bill would prescribe the criteria for a determination of the validity of a protection order under these provisions, as specified, and would authorize the registration of such a protection order in the Domestic Violence Restraining Order System.

SB 213

Mitchell D (Dist. 30)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Placement of children: criminal records check. Current law subjects foster care provider applicants and resource family applicants to a criminal records check and prohibits licensure or approval of an applicant who has been convicted of certain felonies, but authorizes the department or county, as applicable, to grant an exemption from disqualification for the conviction of any other crime. This bill would also (1) prohibit the final approval for an adoption placement, (2) prohibit the placement of a child in the home of a relative, nonrelative extended family member, prospective guardian, or another person who is not a licensed or certified foster parent or an approved resource family, and (3) prohibit licensure of a foster care provider applicant and approval of a resource family applicant, if the person or an associated individual as specified, has been convicted of a violent felony, as defined.

SB 225

Stern D (Dist. 27)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Human trafficking: notice. Current law requires specified businesses and other establishments to post a notice, as developed by the Department of Justice, that contains information relating to slavery and human trafficking, including information regarding specified nonprofit organizations that a person can call for services or support in the elimination of slavery and human trafficking. This bill would require the notice to specify that a person can also text a specified number for services and support and would revise the names of the nonprofit organizations listed in the notice. The bill, by January 1, 2019, would also require the department to revise and update the notice, as specified.



[SB 230](#)

[Atkins](#) D (Dist. 39)

Location: ASSEMBLY THIRD READING

Evidence: commercial sexual offenses. Current law provides that evidence of a person's character is inadmissible when offered to prove his or her conduct on a specified occasion. Current law creates exceptions to that rule, including that in a criminal action in which the defendant is accused of a sexual offense, evidence of the defendant's commission of another sexual offense or offenses is not inadmissible under that rule, except as specified. This bill would create an additional exception to the rule against the admission of character evidence for a "commercial sexual offense," which is defined to include specified sexual offenses related to human trafficking, prostitution, and pimping.

[SB 237](#)

[Hertzberg](#) D (Dist. 18)

Location: ASSEMBLY THIRD READING

Criminal procedure: arrest. Would authorize an arresting officer to release an arrested person from custody without taking him or her before a magistrate if the person is delivered, subsequent to being arrested, to a specified facility for the purpose of mental health evaluation and treatment and no further criminal proceedings are desirable. The bill would require a person arrested and released pursuant to this provision to be issued a certificate describing the action as a detention. This bill contains other existing laws.

[SB 421](#)

[Wiener](#) D (Dist. 11)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Sex offenders: registration: criminal offender record information systems. Current law requires the Department of Justice to make available to the public information concerning registered sex offenders on an Internet Web site, as specified. Current law requires that information to include, among other things, whether the offender was subsequently incarcerated for another felony. Current law also authorizes a person to file an application for exclusion from the Internet Web site and establishes the requirements for exclusion. This bill would establish 3 tiers of registration based on specified criteria, for periods of at least 10 years, at least 20 years, and life, respectively, for a conviction of specified sex offenses, and 5 years and 10 years for tiers one and two, respectively, for an adjudication as a ward of the juvenile court for specified sex offenses, as specified.

[SB 811](#)

Committee on Public Safety

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Public safety: omnibus. Current law provides that, in a criminal action, expert testimony is admissible by either the prosecution or the defense regarding the effects of human trafficking on human trafficking victims. Current law defines the term "human trafficking" pursuant to a specified provision of the Penal Code. This bill would clarify that the term "human trafficking victim" is defined as a victim of an offense as described in that provision of the Penal Code. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.

Public Utilities

[AB 1665](#)

[Garcia, Eduardo](#) D (Dist. 56)

Location: SENATE E. U., & C.

Telecommunications: California Advanced Services Fund. Current law requires the Public Utilities Commission to develop, implement, and administer the CASF to encourage deployment of high-quality advanced communications services to all Californians that will promote economic growth, job creation, and the substantial social benefits of advanced information and communications technologies, as provided in specified decisions of the commission and in the CASF statute. This bill would revise the goal of the program to provide that its goal is to approve funding for infrastructure projects that will provide broadband access to no less than 98% of California households in each consortia region, as identified by the commission, by December 31, 2022.

Position: San Bernardino County Support

[SB 19](#)

[Hill](#) D (Dist. 13)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Public Utilities Commission: duties and responsibilities: governance. Would, on July 1, 2018, revise and recast the regulatory requirements imposed on household goods carriers and would transfer that regulatory authority to the Bureau of Electronic and Appliance Repair, Home Furnishings, and Thermal



Insulation in the Department of Consumer Affairs. The bill would establish the Household Goods Carriers Fund in the Professions and Vocations Fund and would require fees collected for the regulation of household goods carriers to be deposited in the fund and require that fines and penalties be paid into the separate Enforcement Proceeds Account within the fund.

Public Works

[AB 199](#)

[Chu](#) D (Dist. 25)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Public works: private residential projects. Current law exempts private residential projects built on private property from certain requirements for projects that are defined as “public works,” including, among other requirements, the payment of prevailing wages, unless the project is built pursuant to an agreement with a state agency, redevelopment agency, or local public housing authority. This bill would make the above-referenced exemption for private residential projects additionally inapplicable to a project built pursuant to an agreement with a successor agency to a redevelopment agency, as specified.

[AB 1066](#)

[Aguilar-Curry](#) D (Dist. 4)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Public works: definition. Current law defines the term “public works” for purposes of requirements regarding the payment of prevailing wages to include construction, alteration, demolition, installation, or repair work done under contract and paid for in whole or in part out of public funds, except as specified. Current law makes a willful violation of laws relating to the payment of prevailing wages on public works a misdemeanor. This bill would expand the meaning of the term “public works” to include specific types of tree removal work. By expanding the definition of “public works,” this bill would expand the scope of a crime.

Registrar of Voters

[AB 4](#)

[Waldron](#) R (Dist. 75)

Location: ASSEMBLY CHAPTERED

Voter notification. Current law requires a county elections official, upon receipt of a properly executed affidavit of registration or address correction notice or letter, to send a voter a voter notification stating that he or she is registered to vote and providing additional information. If a person under 18 years of age submits an affidavit of registration, the county elections official is required to send that person a voter preregistration notification stating that he or she is preregistered to vote and providing additional information. This bill would authorize a county elections official to first send the recipient of a voter notification or voter preregistration notification a text message or email indicating that his or her information has been received and that a subsequent notification will follow.

[AB 14](#)

[Gomez](#) D (Dist. 51)

Location: ASSEMBLY E. & R.

Political Reform Act of 1974: campaign disclosures. The Political Reform Act of 1974 provides for the comprehensive regulation of campaign financing and activities. The act requires a committee that supports or opposes ballot measures to name and identify itself using a name or phrase that clearly identifies the economic or other special interests of its major donors of \$50,000 or more. The act also requires that the identity of a common employer shared by major donors be disclosed. This bill would repeal these provisions.

[AB 216](#)

[Gonzalez Fletcher](#) D (Dist. 80)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Vote by mail ballots: identification envelopes: prepaid postage. Current law provides for the procedures by which a voter may apply for and receive a vote by mail ballot. Current law requires the elections official to deliver to each qualified applicant the ballot for the precinct in which the applicant resides and all supplies necessary for the use and return of the ballot. This bill would clarify that the elections official is required to deliver to each qualified applicant an identification envelope for the return of the vote by mail ballot and would require the identification envelope to have prepaid postage.



[AB 918](#)

[Bonta](#) D (Dist. 18)

Location: SENATE APPR.

California Voting for All Act. Current law requires that facsimile ballots be printed in other languages and posted in the same manner if a significant and substantial need is found by the Secretary of State. This bill, the California Voting for All Act, would instead require the county elections official to post one facsimile copy of the ballot that is printed in Spanish or other applicable languages, as determined by the Secretary of State, and to provide at least one facsimile copy of the ballot for voters at the polling place to use as a reference when casting a private ballot.

[AB 1333](#)

[Dababneh](#) D (Dist. 45)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Political Reform Act of 1974: local government agency notices. Would require every local government agency that maintains an Internet Web site to prominently post on its Internet Web site, as specified, a notice of any upcoming election in which voters will vote on a tax measure or proposed bond issuance of the agency. The bill would also require every local government agency that publishes an electronic newsletter to include the notice in the electronic newsletter. By imposing new duties on local government agencies, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program.

[ACA 10](#)

[Low](#) D (Dist. 28)

Location: ASSEMBLY THIRD READING

Elections: voter qualifications. The California Constitution allows a United States citizen who is at least 18 years of age and a resident of California to vote. This measure would reduce the minimum voting age to 17.

[SB 24](#)

[Portantino](#) D (Dist. 25)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Political Reform Act of 1974: economic interest disclosure. The Political Reform Act of 1974 requires the disclosures to include a statement indicating, within a specified value range, the fair market value of investments or interests in real property and the aggregate value of income received from each reportable source. This bill would revise the dollar amounts associated with these ranges to provide for 8 total ranges of fair market value of investments and real property interests and 10 total ranges of aggregate value of income.

[SB 348](#)

[Leyva](#) D (Dist. 20)

Location: ASSEMBLY L. GOV.

County voter information guide: taxpayer notice. Would require, if a local special tax measure is presented to the voters for approval, an elections official to include in the county voter information guide for that election a notice regarding the process for initiating a validation action challenging the levy of a special tax. The notice would be required to conform with certain formatting, print, and type requirements and would include language notifying taxpayers of the 60-day filing requirement for challenging the imposition of a special tax. By imposing new duties on local elections officials, the bill would create a state-mandated local program.

Renewable Energy

[AB 271](#)

[Caballero](#) D (Dist. 30)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Property Assessed Clean Energy program. Would authorize the county tax collector to direct the county auditor to remove a delinquent installment based on a PACE assessment from the county's tax rolls, if it arises from a contract entered into on or after January 1, 2018. The bill would require the county tax collector, immediately upon that removal and for each parcel for which the delinquent installment was removed, to provide notice on the tax rolls of the removal. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[SB 242](#)

[Skinner](#) D (Dist. 9)

Location: ASSEMBLY B. & F.

Property Assessed Clean Energy program: program administrator. Current law authorizes a public agency, or an entity that administers a Property Assessed Clean Energy (PACE) financing program on



behalf of and with the written consent of a public agency, to issue PACE bonds that are secured by voluntary contractual assessments, voluntary special taxes, or special taxes on property to assist property owners in financing the installation of distributed generation renewable energy sources, electric vehicle charging infrastructure, or energy or water efficiency improvements. This bill would prohibit a program administrator from waiving or deferring the first payment on an assessment contract, and would require that a property owner's first assessment payment be due no later than the fiscal year following the fiscal year in which the installation of the efficiency improvement is completed.

Retirement

[AB 283](#)

[Cooper D \(Dist. 9\)](#)

Location: SENATE P.E. & R.

County employees' retirement: permanent incapacity. The County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 provides that a member who is permanently incapacitated shall be retired for disability despite age if, among other conditions, the member's incapacity is a result of injury or disease arising out of and in the course of the member's employment, and that employment contributes substantially to that incapacity or the member has completed 5 years of service and not waived retirement in respect to the particular incapacity or aggravation thereof, as specified. This bill would require, for purposes of determining permanent incapacity of certain members employed as peace officers, that those members be evaluated by the retirement system to determine if they can perform all of the usual and customary duties of a peace officer, as specified.

Risk Management

[AB 44](#)

[Reyes D \(Dist. 47\)](#)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Workers' compensation: medical treatment: terrorist attacks: workplace violence. This bill would require employers to provide immediately accessible advocacy services to employees injured in the course of employment by an act of domestic terrorism, as defined, would require employer-appointed advocates to assist employees and others to obtain approval for medical treatments, as specified, and would require an employer to provide a prescribed notice to claimants, as specified. The bill would make its provisions applicable only if the Governor declares a state of emergency, as defined, in connection with the act of domestic terrorism.

[AB 61](#)

[Holden D \(Dist. 41\)](#)

Location: ASSEMBLY CONSENT CALENDAR

State Compensation Insurance Fund: board. Current law establishes the State Compensation Insurance Fund to be administered by a board of directors for the purpose of transacting workers' compensation insurance and other public employment-related insurances, as specified. This bill would require one of the board members that the Governor appoints to be a current or former small business owner who is or has been a small business owner for more than 5 years and who is a State Compensation Insurance Fund policyholder, as specified.

Schools

[AB 185](#)

[O'Donnell D \(Dist. 70\)](#)

Location: SENATE ED.

School attendance: pupil transfer options: school districts of choice. Current law authorizes the governing board of a school district to accept pupils from other school districts by adopting a resolution to become a school district of choice, as defined, in accordance with specified procedural requirements and limitations. Current law makes the school district of choice program inoperative on July 1, 2017, and repeals the program on January 1, 2018. This bill would authorize a school district of choice established pursuant to the school district of choice program to continue to operate for pupils enrolled in the program on or before June 30, 2017.

[AB 406](#)

[McCarty D \(Dist. 7\)](#)

Location: SENATE ED.

Charter schools: operation. The Charter Schools Act of 1992 provides for the establishment and operation of a charter school and authorizes a charter school to elect to operate as, or be operated by, a



nonprofit public benefit corporation, as specified. This bill, on and after January 1, 2019, would prohibit a petitioner that submits a charter petition for the establishment of a charter school or a charter school that submits a charter renewal or material revision application from operating as, or being operated by, a for-profit corporation, a for-profit educational management organization, or a for-profit charter management organization.

[AB 424](#)

[McCarty](#) D (Dist. 7)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Possession of a firearm in a school zone. Would delete the authority of a school district superintendent, his or her designee, or equivalent school authority to provide written permission for a person to possess a firearm within a school zone. By expanding the scope of a crime, this bill would create a state-mandated local program. This bill would exempt from that crime the activities of a program involving shooting sports or activities that are sanctioned by a school, school district, college, university, or other governing body of the institution, as specified, and the activities of a certified hunter education program, as specified.

[AB 591](#)

[O'Donnell](#) D (Dist. 70)

Location: ASSEMBLY ENROLLED

School property: lease: county boards of education. Current law authorizes the governing board of a school district to lease real property that belongs to the school district for a minimum rental of \$1 per year if the instrument by which the property is leased requires a building to be constructed by the lessee for use by the school district and title to the building vests in the school district at the end of the lease. This bill would make all of the requirements in the provisions as specified applicable to an agreement entered into by a county board of education, county office of education, or county superintendent of schools to let to a person, firm, or corporation any real property that belongs to the county office of education or a school district that requires the lessee to construct a building on demised premises for use by the county office of education or a school district.

[AB 834](#)

[O'Donnell](#) D (Dist. 70)

Location: SENATE APPR.

School-based health programs. Would require the State Department of Education to, no later than July 1, 2018, establish an Office of School-Based Health Programs for the purpose of, among other things, administering health-related programs under the purview of the State Department of Education and advising on issues related to the delivery of school-based Medi-Cal services in the state. The bill would authorize the office to form additional advisory groups, as specified, and would require the State Department of Education to make available to the office any information on other school-based dental, health, and mental health programs.

[AB 1227](#)

[Bonta](#) D (Dist. 18)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Human Trafficking Prevention Education and Training Act. The California Healthy Youth Act requires school districts to ensure that all pupils in grades 7 to 12, inclusive, receive comprehensive sexual health education and human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) prevention education, as specified. Under the act, this instruction includes, among other things, information about sexual harassment, sexual assault, adolescent relationship abuse, intimate partner violence, and sex trafficking. This bill would require that instruction to additionally include information about sexual abuse and to include information about human trafficking instead of sex trafficking.

[AB 1360](#)

[Bonta](#) D (Dist. 18)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Charter schools: pupil admissions, suspensions, and expulsions. The Charter Schools Act of 1992 provides for the establishment and operation of charter schools and requires a petition for the establishment of a charter school to contain comprehensive descriptions of various procedures, including the charter school's admission, suspension, and expulsion procedures. This bill would require the charter petition, regardless of the chartering authority, to contain a comprehensive description of procedures by which a pupil can be suspended, expelled, or otherwise involuntarily removed, disenrolled, dismissed, transferred, or terminated from the charter school that includes an explanation of how the charter school will comply with specified federal and state constitutional due process requirements.



[SB 83](#)

Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review

Location: ASSEMBLY BUDGET

School finance: education omnibus trailer bill. Current law establishes a public school financing system that requires state funding for county superintendents of schools, school districts, and charter schools to be calculated pursuant to a local control funding formula, as specified. Current law requires, for the 2013–14 fiscal year and for each fiscal year thereafter, the Superintendent of Public Instruction to annually calculate a county local control funding formula for each county superintendent of schools, as provided. This bill, commencing with the 2017–18 fiscal year, would require the Superintendent to add a specified amount to the annual apportionment to each county superintendent of schools as part of the county local control funding formula, as provided.

[SB 138](#)

[McGuire](#) D (Dist. 2)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

School meal programs: free and reduced-price meals: universal meal service. Would, on or before September 1, 2018, require a school district or county superintendent of schools that has a very high poverty school, as defined, in its jurisdiction to apply to operate a federal universal meal service provision pursuant to specified federal law, and to begin providing breakfast and lunch free of charge through the universal meal service to all pupils at the very high poverty school upon state approval to operate that service. The bill would authorize a school district or county superintendent of schools to stop providing the universal free meal service at a school if the school ceases to be a very high poverty school.

[SB 233](#)

[Beall](#) D (Dist. 15)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Foster children: records. Current law authorizes foster family agencies with jurisdiction over currently enrolled or former pupils to access records of grades and transcripts, and any individualized education plans developed pursuant to specified law maintained by school districts or private schools of those pupils. This bill would add to the information that may be accessed records of attendance, discipline, and online communication on platforms established by schools for pupils and parents, and any plan adopted pursuant to specified federal law, as provided, and would require that these records be the current or most recent records for the pupil.

[SB 257](#)

[Lara](#) D (Dist. 33)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

School admissions: pupil residency: pupils of deported parents. Would provide that a pupil complies with the residency requirement for school attendance in a school district if he or she is a pupil whose parent or parents were residents of this state and were deported, or voluntarily departed pursuant to a specified federal law, and, if the pupil seeks admission to a class or school of a school district, requires that the pupil be admitted by the governing board of the school district if that person meets specified requirements. By requiring school districts to admit this class of pupils, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program.

[SB 607](#)

[Skinner](#) D (Dist. 9)

Location: ASSEMBLY THIRD READING

Pupil discipline: suspensions and expulsions: willful defiance. Current law prohibits the suspension of a pupil enrolled in kindergarten or any of grades 1 to 3, inclusive, and recommending the expulsion of a pupil enrolled in kindergarten or any of grades 1 to 12, inclusive, for disrupting school activities or otherwise willfully defying the valid authority of those school personnel engaged in the performance of their duties. Current law makes these prohibitions inoperative on July 1, 2018. This bill would make those provisions indefinitely applicable to pupils enrolled in kindergarten or any of grades 1 to 5, inclusive, and, with respect to pupils enrolled in grades 6 to 12, inclusive, would make those provisions applicable until July 1, 2023.

[SB 751](#)

[Hill](#) D (Dist. 13)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

School finance: school districts: annual budgets: reserve balance. Would require the governing board of a school district that proposes to adopt a budget that includes unassigned ending balances in the school district's general fund and special reserve fund for other than capital outlay projects in excess of the minimum recommended reserve for economic uncertainties to provide specified information for public review and discussion. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.



Solid Waste

[AB 245](#)

[Quirk](#) D (Dist. 20)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Hazardous waste: facilities and enforcement. Would require the Department of Toxic Substances Control, within 90 days of receiving a renewal application for a hazardous waste facilities permit, to hold a public meeting for specified purposes relating to the renewal in or near the community in which the hazardous waste facility is located. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 246](#)

[Santiago](#) D (Dist. 53)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Department of Toxic Substances Control: hazardous waste: facilities: emissions monitoring. Would require the Department of Toxic Substances Control to assess, in consultation with the relevant air pollution control district or air quality management district, hazardous waste facilities under its jurisdiction within the respective territory of each air district to determine if fence-line or other monitoring to measure and record emissions at those facilities is necessary or appropriate. To the extent this requirement would impose additional duties on air districts, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program. The bill would require the department, based on its findings upon completion of the assessment, to adopt regulations, on or before September 1, 2018, for fence-line monitoring at hazardous waste facilities.

[AB 248](#)

[Reyes](#) D (Dist. 47)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Hazardous waste: facilities: permits. Would require, for a hazardous waste facilities permit that will expire on or before July 1, 2020, the owner or operator of a facility intending to extend the term of that permit to submit a Part A and Part B application for a permit renewal at least 6 months before the fixed term of the permit expires. The bill would require, for a hazardous waste facilities permit that will expire after July 1, 2020, the owner or operator to submit a Part A and Part B application for a permit renewal at least 2 years before the fixed term of the permit expires.

[AB 249](#)

[Gomez](#) D (Dist. 51)

Location: SENATE RLS.

Political Reform Act of 1974: campaign disclosures. Current law, the Political Reform Act of 1974, provides for the comprehensive regulation of campaign financing and activities. The act requires a committee that supports or opposes ballot measures to name and identify itself using a name or phrase that clearly identifies the economic or other special interests of its major donors of \$50,000 or more. The act also requires that the identity of a common employer shared by major donors be disclosed. This bill would repeal these provisions.

Technology

[SB 649](#)

[Hueso](#) D (Dist. 40)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Wireless telecommunications facilities. Under current law, a wireless telecommunications collocation facility, as specified, is subject to a city or county discretionary permit and is required to comply with specified criteria, but a collocation facility, which is the placement or installation of wireless facilities, including antennas and related equipment, on or immediately adjacent to that wireless telecommunications collocation facility, is a permitted use not subject to a city or county discretionary permit. This bill would provide that a small cell is a permitted use, subject only to a specified permitting process adopted by a city or county, if the small cell meets specified requirements.

Position: San Bernardino County Oppose

Transportation

[AB 1](#)

[Frazier](#) D (Dist. 11)

Location: ASSEMBLY TRANS.

Transportation funding. Would create the Road Maintenance and Rehabilitation Program to address deferred maintenance on the state highway system and the local street and road system. The bill would require the California Transportation Commission to adopt performance criteria, consistent with a specified asset management plan, to ensure efficient use of certain funds available for the program. The bill would



provide for the deposit of various funds for the program in the Road Maintenance and Rehabilitation Account, which the bill would create in the State Transportation Fund.

[AB 17](#)

[Holden](#) D (Dist. 41)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Transit Pass Pilot Program: free or reduced-fare transit passes. Would create the Transit Pass Pilot Program to be administered by the Department of Transportation to provide free or reduced-fare transit passes to specified pupils and students by supporting new, or expanding existing, transit pass programs. The bill would require the department to develop guidelines that describe the application process and selection criteria for awarding the moneys made available for the program, and would exempt the development of those guidelines from the Administrative Procedure Act.

[AB 28](#)

[Frazier](#) D (Dist. 11)

Location: ASSEMBLY CHAPTERED

Department of Transportation: environmental review process: federal pilot program. Current federal law requires the United States Secretary of Transportation to carry out a surface transportation project delivery pilot program, under which the participating states assume certain responsibilities for environmental review and clearance of transportation projects that would otherwise be the responsibility of the federal government. Current law, until January 1, 2017, provided that the State of California consents to the jurisdiction of the federal courts with regard to the compliance, discharge, or enforcement of the responsibilities it assumed as a participant in the pilot program. This bill would reinstate the operation of the latter provision. The bill would repeal that provision on January 1, 2020. This bill would declare that it is to take effect immediately as an urgency statute.

[AB 33](#)

[Quirk](#) D (Dist. 20)

Location: SENATE E. U., & C.

Transportation electrification: electric vehicle service equipment: electrical corporations: rates. Would require the PUC, by March 30, 2018, in consultation with the State Air Resources Board and the Energy Commission, to consider authorizing electrical corporations to offer programs and investments that support customers who purchase a used electric vehicle. If authorized by the PUC, the bill would require that the programs and investments be designed to accelerate widespread transportation electrification, achieve ratepayer benefits, reduce dependence on petroleum, meet air quality standards, and reduce emissions of greenhouse gases.

[AB 115](#)

Committee on Budget

Location: ASSEMBLY CHAPTERED

Transportation. Current law requires that a patrol member of the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) who is subject to specified benefit formulas be retired in the calendar month succeeding that in which he or she attains 60 years of age. Current law, until January 1, 2018, exempts from this requirement a Commissioner of the California Highway Patrol, as specified, who was appointed on or after January 1, 2008. This bill would continue this exemption until April 1, 2019.

[AB 179](#)

[Cervantes](#) D (Dist. 60)

Location: SENATE APPR.

California Transportation Commission. Under current law, the California Transportation Commission consists of 13 members, 9 of whom are to be appointed by the Governor in consultation with the Senate. Current law requires the Governor, in appointing members, to use every effort to ensure geographic balance of representation. This bill would additionally require the Governor, in appointing members, to use every effort to ensure that the commission has a diverse membership with expertise in transportation issues, taking into consideration factors including, but not limited to, socioeconomic background and professional experience, which may include experience working in, or representing, disadvantaged communities.

[AB 382](#)

[Voepel](#) R (Dist. 71)

Location: SENATE T. & H.

Fuel taxes: State Parks and Recreation Fund: Off-Highway Vehicle Trust Fund. Would provide that in the 2017–18 fiscal year up to \$1,000,000 of the revenues transferred to the State Parks and Recreation Fund may be transferred to the Off-Highway Vehicle Trust Fund to be available for specified purposes and would express the intent of the Legislature to make this transfer in the Budget Act of 2017.



[AB 1113](#)

[Bloom](#) D (Dist. 50)

Location: ASSEMBLY ENROLLED

State Transit Assistance Program. Current law requires funds in the Public Transportation Account to be allocated to various public transportation and transportation planning purposes, with specified revenues in the account to be allocated by the Controller to specified local transportation agencies for public transportation purposes, pursuant to the State Transit Assistance (STA) Program. Current requires STA funds to be allocated by formulas based 50% on population and 50% on transit operator revenues. This bill would revise and recast the provisions governing the STA program. The bill would provide that only STA-eligible operators, as defined, are eligible to receive an allocation from the portion of program funds based on transit operator revenues.

[AB 1282](#)

[Mullin](#) D (Dist. 22)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Transportation Permitting Taskforce. Would require, by April 1, 2018, the Secretary of Transportation, in consultation with the Secretary of the Natural Resources Agency, to establish a Transportation Permitting Taskforce consisting of representatives from specified entities to develop a process for early engagement for all parties in the development of transportation projects, establish reasonable deadlines for permit approvals, and provide for greater certainty of permit approval requirements. The bill would require the Secretary of Transportation, by December 1, 2019, to prepare and submit to the relevant policy and fiscal committees of the Legislature a report of findings based on the efforts of the taskforce.

[SB 1](#)

[Beall](#) D (Dist. 15)

Location: SENATE CHAPTERED

Transportation funding. Would create the Road Maintenance and Rehabilitation Program to address deferred maintenance on the state highway system and the local street and road system. The bill would require the California Transportation Commission to adopt performance criteria, consistent with a specified asset management plan, to ensure efficient use of certain funds available for the program.

[SB 4](#)

[Mendoza](#) D (Dist. 32)

Location: ASSEMBLY SECOND READING

Medi-Cal: county organized health system: County of Orange. Current law authorizes a county board of supervisors, by ordinance, to establish a commission to negotiate an exclusive contract with the State Department of Health Care Services to provide, or arrange for the provision of, health care services under the Medi-Cal program. This system of services provided by or through a county under these provisions is known as a county organized health system. Current law requires the enabling ordinance to, among other things, specify the membership of the county commission, the qualifications for individual members, the manner of appointment, and how long they will serve. Pursuant to this authority, the County of Orange, by ordinance, established a commission to provide health care services under the Medi-Cal program. This bill would codify those provisions of the enabling ordinance that prescribe the membership composition, the qualifications for individual members, tenure of the members, and the procedure for removing a member of the governing body of the commission established in the County of Orange.

[SB 414](#)

[Vidak](#) R (Dist. 14)

Location: SENATE T. & H.

Transportation bonds: highway, street, and road projects. Would provide that no further bonds shall be sold for high-speed rail purposes pursuant to the Safe, Reliable High-Speed Passenger Train Bond Act for the 21st Century, except as specifically provided with respect to an existing appropriation for high-speed rail purposes for early improvement projects in the Phase 1 blended system. The bill, subject to the above exception, would require redirection of the unspent proceeds from outstanding bonds issued and sold for other high-speed rail purposes prior to the effective date of these provisions, upon appropriation, for use in retiring the debt incurred from the issuance and sale of those outstanding bonds.

[SB 477](#)

[Cannella](#) R (Dist. 12)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Intercity rail corridors: extensions. Current law authorizes the Department of Transportation, subject to approval of the Secretary of Transportation, to enter into an interagency transfer agreement under which a joint powers board assumes responsibility for administering the state-funded intercity rail service in a particular corridor and associated feeder bus services. Current law defines the boundaries of 3 intercity rail



corridors, and requires the preparation of an annual business plan for the corridor by each participating joint powers board. This bill, at any time after an interagency transfer agreement between the department and a joint powers board has been entered into, would authorize the amendment of the agreement to provide for the extension of the affected rail corridor to provide intercity rail service beyond the defined boundaries of the corridor.

[SB 732](#)

[Stern](#) D (Dist. 27)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

General plan: agricultural land. Would authorize a city and county to develop an agricultural land component of the city or county's open-space element, or a separate agricultural land element. The bill would require a city or county to comply with specified requirements when preparing that component or element, including identifying and mapping, where applicable, using specified data, agricultural lands that are within the city's or county's jurisdiction; establishing a comprehensive set of goals, policies, and objectives to support the long-term protection of agricultural land; identifying and designating priority land for conservation; and identifying and establishing a set of feasible implementation measures designed to promote those goals, policies, and objectives.

[SB 810](#)

Committee on Transportation and Housing

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Transportation: omnibus bill. Current law prohibits a person holding a class A, class B, or class C driver's license from operating a vehicle hauling fissile class III shipments or large quantity radioactive materials, as defined, unless the person possesses both a valid license of the appropriate class and a radioactive materials driver's certificate issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles that permits the person to operate the vehicle. This bill would delete the existing examination and certificate requirement and instead prohibit a person holding a class A, class B, or class C driver's license from operating a vehicle hauling highway route controlled quantities of radioactive materials, as defined, unless the person possesses both a valid license of the appropriate class and a certificate of training, as required under specified federal law.

Veterans

[AB 85](#)

[Rodriguez](#) D (Dist. 52)

Location: SENATE V. A.

General assistance: employable veterans. Current law requires each county to provide aid to its indigent residents not supported by other means. Current law permits a county to prohibit an employable individual from receiving general assistance benefits for more than 3 months in any 12-month period, whether or not the months are consecutive, if he or she has been offered an opportunity to attend job skills or job training sessions. This bill would, commencing July 1, 2018, exempt from that prohibition an employable veteran who was honorably discharged from the United States Armed Forces, unless the county enacts an ordinance, by July 1, 2018, making the prohibition applicable to an employable veteran who was honorably discharged from the United States Armed Forces.

[AB 94](#)

[Rodriguez](#) D (Dist. 52)

Location: ASSEMBLY ENROLLED

Corporation Tax Law: exemption: veteran's organizations. Under current law, there is a method by which a nonprofit organization that has obtained a ruling, determination, or specified letter from the Internal Revenue Service that it is exempt from federal income taxes as an organization described in Section 501(c)(3), (c)(4), (c)(5), (c)(6), or (c)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code is authorized to obtain exemption from state taxes, as provided. This bill would additionally authorize an organization described in Section 501(c)(19), which is a veteran's organization, to use that method to obtain such an exemption.

[AB 331](#)

[Eggman](#) D (Dist. 13)

Location: SENATE APPR.

County recorders: veterans: recorded documents. Current law directs the county recorder, if any military veteran or a family member or legal representative of the veteran authorized by law to receive a certified copy of specified documents requests the recordation of any military discharge document, including a veteran's service form DD214, to sign a form that acknowledges that the document becomes part of the official record of the county. This bill would remove the directive to require the veteran or authorized person sign a form acknowledging that the document becomes part of the official record of the county.



[AB 547](#)

[Chávez](#) R (Dist. 76)

Location: SENATE APPR.

California Prompt Payment Act: disabled veteran business enterprises. Would require state agencies to pay an undisputed invoice from a certified disabled veteran business enterprise that is also a small business, as defined, within 30 days of initial receipt. The bill would require a state agency to submit a claim on an undisputed invoice to the Controller for payment within 15 calendar days of the agency's receipt. If an agency fails to submit a correct claim schedule within 15 days of receiving an invoice, and payment is not made within 30 days of receipt, the bill would require the agency to pay penalties from its funds, as specified.

[AB 1362](#)

[Irwin](#) D (Dist. 44)

Location: ASSEMBLY H. & C.D.

Veterans bond acts. Would enact the Veterans Housing and Homeless Prevention Bond Act of 2017 to authorize the issuance of bonds in an unspecified amount to provide additional funding for the VHHPA. The bill would provide for the handling and disposition of the funds in the same manner as the 2014 bond act. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[SB 14](#)

[Gaines](#) R (Dist. 1)

Location: SENATE V. A.

National Guard: bonuses: tax reimbursement. Would create a grant program to repay members of the National Guard who paid taxes on an enlistment bonus awarded on or after January 1, 2004, and before January 1, 2011, that the member was required to repay. The bill would provide a grant in the amount equal to the taxes that the member paid on that bonus. This bill would require the Franchise Tax Board to create an application for this grant program, and would appropriate, from the General Fund to the Franchise Tax Board, the amount necessary to fund the grants and the administration of this grant program and the exclusion as specified. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[SB 156](#)

[Anderson](#) R (Dist. 38)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Military and veterans: transition assistance: citizenship. Current law requires, by July 1, 2015, the Department of Veterans Affairs to develop a transition assistance program for veterans who have been discharged from the Armed Forces of the United States or the National Guard of any state, as specified. This bill would require the transition assistance program for veterans to provide information to noncitizens who are leaving military service in California or who have already been discharged from military service in California on how to become citizens, and to assist these noncitizens in filling out the necessary forms and paperwork.

[SB 197](#)

[Bates](#) R (Dist. 36)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Sales and use taxes: exemption: military and veteran medical facilities. Would, on and after April 1, 2017, and before January 1, 2023, exempt from sales and use taxes the gross receipts from the sale of, and the storage, use, or other consumption in this state of, building materials and supplies purchased by a qualified person for use by that qualified person in the construction of specified military and veteran medical facilities. The bill would make a legislative finding and declaration that the retroactive application of the bill serves a public purpose and does not constitute a gift of public funds.

[SB 409](#)

[Nguyen](#) R (Dist. 34)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Veterans homes: residents with complex mental and behavioral health needs. Current law provides for the establishment and operation of veterans' homes at various sites, and provides for an administrator of each home, as specified. Current law establishes the duties of the Department of Veterans Affairs with regard to the establishment and regulation of veterans' homes. This bill would, on or before January 1, 2019, require the Department of Veterans Affairs to develop a plan to accommodate more veterans suffering from complex mental and behavioral health needs as resident members of the state veterans homes which operate within the Veterans' Home of California System.



[SCR 4](#)

[Nguyen](#) R (Dist. 34)

Location: SENATE CHAPTERED

Month of the Military Child. This measure would declare the month of April 2017 as the Month of the Military Child, and would urge all Californians, local and state leaders, private organizations, and businesses to observe the month by showing appreciation to the children and youth of military and veteran families, including children of the fallen, for standing by their parents and loved ones who are serving or have served as members of the Armed Forces of the United States.

[SJR 2](#)

[Nielsen](#) R (Dist. 4)

Location: SENATE V. A.

Veteran bonus repayment. This measure would request that Congress expedite all actions necessary to permanently waive the requirement that our state's Army National Guard members repay federal financial incentives they received in exchange for wartime reenlistment and extend some form of relief or repayment to those soldiers who have already complied with recoupment orders despite the financial hardship.

Water

[AB 176](#)

[Salas](#) D (Dist. 32)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Water project: Friant-Kern Canal. Current law requires the Department of Water Resources, upon appropriation by the Legislature, to provide funding for a project that substantially conforms to the project description for the Reverse Flow Pump-back Facilities on the Friant-Kern Canal Restoration Project, as specified, provided that certain conditions are met. Current law requires that the appropriation be no more than \$7,000,000. This bill would appropriate \$7,000,000 from the General Fund to the department for this project. This bill contains other related provisions.

[AB 196](#)

[Bigelow](#) R (Dist. 5)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund: water supply and wastewater systems. Current law requires moneys from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund to be allocated for the purpose of reducing greenhouse gas emissions in this state and satisfying other purposes. Current law authorizes specified investments, including water use and supply, if the investment furthers the regulatory purposes of the California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 and is consistent with law. This bill would authorize the use of the moneys in the fund for electric pump efficiency, water and wastewater systems, pump and pump motor efficiency improvements, and drinking water transmission and distribution systems' water loss if the investment furthers the regulatory purposes of the act and is consistent with law.

[AB 200](#)

[Eggman](#) D (Dist. 13)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Reclamation District No. 1614: Pump Station No. 7. Would appropriate \$1,175,000 from the General Fund to the Department of Water Resources for the purpose of constructing a new pump station to replace Pump Station No. 7 of Reclamation District No. 1614 – Smith Tract. The bill would require the department to grant the \$1,175,000 appropriated for the purpose of replacing the pump station to Reclamation District No. 1614 — Smith Tract to construct a new pump station to replace Pump Station No. 7.

[AB 277](#)

[Mathis](#) R (Dist. 26)

Location: SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Water and Wastewater Loan and Grant Program. Would, to the extent funding is made available, authorize the State Water Resources Control Board to establish the Water and Wastewater Loan and Grant Program to provide funding to eligible applicants for specified purposes relating to drinking water and wastewater treatment. This bill would authorize a county or qualified nonprofit organization to apply to the board for a grant to award loans or grants, or both, to an eligible applicant. The bill would authorize the board to use a funding source that is authorized for and consistent with the purposes of the program.

[AB 321](#)

[Mathis](#) R (Dist. 26)

Location: ASSEMBLY ENROLLED

Groundwater sustainability agencies. Sustainable Groundwater Management Act requires a groundwater sustainability agency to consider the interests of all beneficial uses and users of groundwater, as well as



those responsible for implementing groundwater sustainability plans, including, among other interests, holders of overlying groundwater rights, including agricultural users and domestic well owners. This bill would specifically include farmers, ranchers, and dairy professionals in the agricultural users whose interests a groundwater sustainability agency is required to consider.

[AB 339](#)

[Mathis](#) R (Dist. 26)

Location: SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

State Water Pollution Cleanup and Abatement Account. The Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act creates the State Water Pollution Cleanup and Abatement Account in the State Water Quality Control Fund and continuously appropriates moneys in the account to the state board for the purposes of cleaning up waste or abating its effects on state waters. Existing law, until July 1, 2018, authorizes the state board to pay these moneys from the account to, among others, a community water system that services a disadvantaged community to be used to assist in addressing urgent drinking water need, among other purposes. This bill would limit the above-described payments to grants, and would delete the July 1, 2018, sunset date. By extending the term of an existing appropriation, this bill would make an appropriation.

[AB 366](#)

[Obernolte](#) R (Dist. 33)

Location: SENATE RLS.

Civil actions: fee recovery. Current law enumerates the costs that a prevailing party may recover in a civil action. Current law provides that costs for models and enlargements of exhibits and photocopies of exhibits may be recovered if the items were reasonably helpful to aid the trier of fact. This bill would authorize a prevailing party to recover fees for the costs associated with the electronic presentation of exhibits, including costs of rental equipment and electronic formatting.

[AB 367](#)

[Obernolte](#) R (Dist. 33)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Water supply: building permits. Current law prohibits a city, including a charter city, or a county from issuing a building permit for the construction of a new residential development where a source of the water supply is water transported by a water hauler, bottled water, a water-vending machine, or a retail water facility. Under current law, this prohibition on the issuance of a building permit does not apply to a residence that will be rebuilt because of a natural disaster. This bill would exempt from the prohibition on the issuance of a building permit a residence that will be rebuilt because of a fire and would provide that this is declaratory of existing law.

[AB 560](#)

[Salas](#) D (Dist. 32)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Safe Drinking Water State Revolving Fund: project financing: severely disadvantaged communities. Would, to the extent permitted by federal law, authorize the State Water Resources Control Board to provide grant funding, and principal forgiveness and 0% financing on loans, from the Safe Drinking Water State Revolving Fund to a project for a water system with a service area that qualifies as a severely disadvantaged community if the water system demonstrates that repaying a Safe Drinking Water State Revolving Fund loan with interest would result in unaffordable water rates, as defined.

[AB 619](#)

[Dahle](#) R (Dist. 1)

Location: ASSEMBLY ENROLLED

Sierra Lakes County Water District. Would specifically authorize the Sierra Lakes County Water District, in order to regulate, prohibit, or control the discharge of pollutants, waste, or other materials in groundwater or surface waters, (1) to adopt by ordinance requirements relating to the installation and use of small aboveground or small underground tanks, as defined, designed to contain an accumulation of hazardous substances, and (2) to prohibit by ordinance the installation of new small underground tanks or new underground storage tanks, as defined, for the storage of petroleum within the tributary watershed of Lakes Serena and Dulzura.

[AB 1420](#)

[Aguiar-Curry](#) D (Dist. 4)

Location: SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Water rights: small irrigation use: lake or streambed alteration agreements. Would require the State Water Resources Control Board to give priority to adopting, on or before June 30, 2021, except as provided, general conditions that permit a registrant to store water for small irrigation use during times of high streamflow in exchange for the registrant reducing diversions during periods of low streamflow, as specified.



The bill would require that the actions of the board under these provisions be deemed an action taken for the protection of the environment for purposes of specified California Environmental Quality Act guidelines, if those actions do not result in the relaxation of streamflow standards.

[AB 1442](#)

[Allen, Travis](#) R (Dist. 72)

Location: ASSEMBLY TRANS.

Bonds: transportation: water projects. Would provide that no further bonds shall be sold for high-speed rail purposes pursuant to the Safe, Reliable High-Speed Passenger Train Bond Act for the 21st Century, except as specifically provided with respect to an existing appropriation for high-speed rail purposes for early improvement projects in the Phase 1 blended system. The bill, subject to the above exception, would require redirection of the unspent proceeds received from outstanding bonds issued and sold for other high-speed rail purposes prior to the effective date of these provisions, upon appropriation, for use in retiring the debt incurred from the issuance and sale of those outstanding bonds.

[SB 57](#)

[Stern](#) D (Dist. 27)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Natural gas storage: moratorium. The Public Utilities Commission under current law, is authorized to supervise and regulate every public utility in the state. Current law requires the commission, no later than July 1, 2017, to open a proceeding to determine the feasibility of minimizing or eliminating use of the Aliso Canyon natural gas storage facility located in the County of Los Angeles while still maintaining energy and electric reliability for the region, and to consult with specified entities in making its determination. This bill would require the supervisor to continue that prohibition until a specified root cause analysis of the natural gas leak from the facility that started approximately October 23, 2015, has been completed and released in its entirety to the public.

[SB 210](#)

[Leyva](#) D (Dist. 20)

Location: ASSEMBLY ED.

Pupil health: drinking water. The California Safe Drinking Water Act, requires the State Water Resources Control Board to establish a grant program, in consultation with the State Department of Education, to award grants to local educational agencies for the purposes of improving access to, and the quality of, drinking water in public schools serving kindergarten or any of grades 1 to 12, inclusive, and preschools and child day care facilities located on public school property. The act requires the state board to give priority to certain projects. This bill would require priority be given to projects for schools that have tested their drinking water fixtures, and the results show that the drinking water either does not meet the United States Environmental Protection Agency drinking water standards for lead or is above the California maximum contaminant level for any other contaminant, as specified.

[SB 252](#)

[Dodd](#) D (Dist. 3)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR.

Water wells. Would require an applicant for a new well permit in a city or county overlying a critically overdrafted basin, as defined, and where the proposed well is located within a critically overdrafted basin, to comply with certain requirements as part of an application for a well permit. The bill would require a city or county that receives an application for a well permit in a critically overdrafted basin to make certain information about the new well included in the application for a well permit available to groundwater sustainability agencies and publicly available and easily accessible and, before issuing any new well permit, to undertake a notice and comment period that includes a noticed public meeting, as prescribed.

[SCA 4](#)

[Hertzberg](#) D (Dist. 18)

Location: SENATE RLS.

Water conservation. The California Constitution requires that the water resources of the state be put to beneficial use to the fullest extent of which they are capable and that the waste or unreasonable use or unreasonable method of use of water be prevented. This measure would declare the intent of the Legislature to amend the California Constitution to provide a program that would ensure that affordable water is available to all Californians and to ensure that water conservation is given a permanent role in California's future.



Workforce

[AB 316](#)

[Waldron](#) R (Dist. 75)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Workforce development. Current law requires the Employment Training Panel within the Employment Development Department to submit an annual report to the Legislature that contains summaries of information related to projects operated by the panel. This bill would require the panel to solicit proposals and write performance-based contracts to fund projects that expedite and increase the number of middle-skill workers employed in an eligible industry. This bill would require projects funded by this program to comply with certain requirements.

[AB 600](#)

[Cooper](#) D (Dist. 9)

Location: ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Sales and use taxes: exemption: manufacturing and research: useful life: electric power generation. Current sales and use tax laws partially exempt from those taxes, until July 1, 2018, the gross receipts from the sale of, and the storage, use, or other consumption of, specified tangible personal property purchased for use by a qualified person, as defined, to be used primarily in manufacturing or other processes, and in research and development. Consumables with a useful life of less than one year do not qualify for exemption, and useful life is defined by reference to state income or franchise taxes. This bill, on and after January 1, 2018, and before July 1, 2028, would additionally define useful life by reference to manufacturer or other warranties, maintenance contracts, and normal replacement as established by industry or business practices, would additionally exempt from those taxes special purpose buildings and foundations used for the generation, production, storage, or distribution, as defined, of electric power, and would expand the definition of qualified person to include, among others, a person primarily engaged in the business of electric power generation.

Position: San Bernardino County Support

[AB 1111](#)

[Garcia, Eduardo](#) D (Dist. 56)

Location: SENATE APPR.

Removing Barriers to Employment Act: Breaking Barriers to Employment Initiative. Would enact the Removing Barriers to Employment Act, which would establish the Breaking Barriers to Employment Initiative administered by the California Workforce Development Board. The bill would specify that the purpose of the initiative is to create a grant program to provide individuals with barriers to employment the services they need to enter, participate in, and complete broader workforce preparation, training, and education programs aligned with regional labor market needs. The bill would specify that people completing these programs should have the skills and competencies to successfully enter the labor market, retain employment, and earn wages that lead to self-sufficiency and economic security.

Position: San Bernardino County Support

[AB 1149](#)

[Arambula](#) D (Dist. 31)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

Workforce investment boards: funding. Current law requires local workforce investment boards to spend a minimum percentage of specified funds for adults and dislocated workers on federally identified workforce training programs and allows the boards to leverage specified funds to meet the funding requirements, as specified. Current law authorizes a credit of up to 10% of that funding minimum for leveraged funds, which include Pell Grants and employment training panel grants. This bill would expand the types of services to which leveraged funds may be applied to include supportive services and would expand the types of leveraged funds that may be applied to the 10% credit, described above, to include specified federal, local, state, and private funds.

[AB 1336](#)

[Mullin](#) D (Dist. 22)

Location: SENATE THIRD READING

California Workforce Development Board. Would require the California Workforce Development Board to determine the approach for measuring labor market impacts, provided that, to the extent feasible, the board uses statistically rigorous methodologies to estimate, assess, and isolate the impact of programs on participant outcomes. The bill would modify the requirement that the workforce metrics dashboard be produced using existing available data and resources that are currently collected and accessible to state agencies, to require that it be done to the extent feasible.



[AB 1664](#)

[Bocanegra D \(Dist. 39\)](#)

Location: SENATE B., P. & E.D.

California Film Commission: workforce development program. Current law establishes and generally sets forth the duties of the California Film Commission in encouraging and promoting the film industry in the state, including requiring the commission to develop and oversee the implementation of the Cooperative Motion Picture Marketing Plan. Current law requires the California Film Commission to adopt rules and regulations to implement a Career Readiness requirement pursuant to the implementation of that credit. This bill would require the California Film Commission to develop a workforce development program, as described, that is consistent with the Career Readiness requirement.

Total Measures: 351